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P S A L M I.

T Har man hath perfect blessednesse,
who walketh not astray
In counsel of ungodly men,
nor stands in sinners way,
Nor sitteth in the scorners chair.
2 But placeth his delight
Upon Gods Law, and meditates
on his Law day and night.
3 He shall be like a tree that grows
near planted by a river,
Which in his season yeelds his fruit :
and his leaf fadeth never,
And all he doth shall prosper well.
4 The wicked are not so,
But like they are unto the chaff
which wind drives to and fro/
5 In judgement therefore shall not stand
such as ungodly are,
Nor in th'assembly of the just,
shall wicked men appear.
6 For why ? the way of godly men
unto the Lord is known.

PSALM II.

Whereas the way of wicked men
shall quite be overthrown,

PSAL. II.

Why rage the heathen? and vain things
why do the people minde?

2 Kings of the earth do see themselves,
and Princes are combinde

To plot against the Lord, and his
Anointed, saying thus,

3 Let us asunder break their bands,
and cast their cords from us.

4 He that in heaven sits, shall laugh:
the Lord shall scorn them all.

5 Then shall he speak to them in wrath,
in rage he vex them shall.

6 Yet notwithstanding I have him
to be my king appointed:

And over Sion, my holy hill,
I have Him king appointed.

7 The sure decree I will declare
the Lord hath said to me,

Thou art mine only Son, this day
I have begotten thee.

8 Ask of me, and for heritage,
the heathen I'll make thine:

And for possession, I to thee
will give earths utmost line.

9 Thou shalt, as with a weighty rod,
of iron, break them all;

And, as a potters sheard, thou shalt
them dash in pieces small.

P S A L M III.

10 Now therefore kings, be wise, be taught
ye judges of the earth.

11 Serve God in fear, and see that ye
ioyn trembling with your mirth.

12 Kisse ye the Son, lest in his ire
ye perish from the way,

If once his wrath begin to burn.

Blest all that on him stay.

P S A L III.

O Lord, how are my foes increas'd?
against me many rise,

2 Many say of my soul, For him
in God no succour lyes.

3 Yet thou my shield, and glory art,
th'oplister of mine head.

4 I cry'd, and from his holy hill
the Lord me answer made.

5 I laid me down and slept, I wak'd,
for God sustained me.

6 I will not fear though thousands ten
set round against me be.

7 Arise, O Lord, save me, my God;
for thou my foes hast stroke

All on the cheek-bone: and the teeth
of wicked men hast broke.

8 Salvation doth appertain
unto the Lord alone:

Thy blessing, Lord, for evermore
thy people is upon.

P S A L IV.

Give ear unto me when I call,
God of my righteousness:

PSALM V.

Have mercy, hear my pray'r, thou hast
enlarg'd me in distresse.

2 O ye the sons of men, how long
will ye love vanities?

How long my glory turn to shame,
and will ye follow lies?

3 But know that for himself, the Lord
the godly man doth chuse:

The Lord, when I on him do call,
to hear will not refuse.

4 Fear, and sin not, talk with your heart
on bed, and silent be.

5 Offerings present of righteousness:
and in the Lord trust ye.

6 O who will shew us any good?
is that which many say:

But of thy countenance the light,
Lord, lift on us alway.

7 Upon my heart, bestow'd by thee,
more gladness I have found.

Then they, ev'n then when corn and wine
did most with them abound.

8 I will both lay me down in peace,
and quiet sleep will take:

Because thou onely, me to dwell
in safety, Lord, dost make.

PSALM V.

Give ear unto my words, O Lord,
my meditation weigh.

2 Hear my loud cry, my King, my God,
for I to thee will pray.

PSALM V.

3 Lord, thou shalt early hear my voice
I early will direct
My pray'r to thee, and looking up
an answer will expect.

4 For thou art not a God that doth
in wickednesse delight :

Neither shall evil dwell with thee,
5 Nor fools stand in thy sight.

All that ill doers are thou hatst,

6 Curst off that liars be :

The bloody and deceitful man
abhorred is by thee.

7 But I into thy house will come
in thine abundant grace :

And I will worship in thy fear
toward thy holy place.

8 Because of thine mine enemies,
Lord, in thy righteousness

Do thou me lead ; do thou thy way
make straight before my face.

9 For in their mouth there is no truth,
their inward parts are ill ;

Their throat's an open sepulchre,
their tongue doth flatter still.

10 O God destroy them ; let them be
by their own counsel quell'd :

Them for their many sins cast out,
for they 'gainst thee rebell'd.

11 But let all joy that trust in thee,
and still make shouting noise :

For them thou sav'st : Let all that love

P S A L M VI

thy Name, in thee rejoyce.

12 For, Lord, unto the righteous man,
thou wilt thy blessing yeld;
With favour thou wilt compasse him
about, as with a shield.

P S A L M VI.

Lord, in thy wrath rebuke me not,
Nor in thy hot rage chasten me.

2 Lord, pity me, for I am weak,
Heal me, for my bones vexed be.

3 My soul is also vexed sore;
But, Lord, how long stay wilt thou make?

4 Return, O Lord, my soul see free;
O save me for thy mercies sake.

5 Because those that deceased are
Of thee shall no remembrance have;

And who is he that will to thee
Give praises lying in the grave?

6 I with my groaning weary am,
I also all the night, my bed

Have caused for to swim, and I
With tears my couch have watered.

7 Mine eye, consum'd with grief, grows old,
Because of all mine enemies.

8 Hence from me wicked workers all,
For God hath heard my weeping cries.

9 God hath my supplication heard;
My pray'r received graciously;

10 Sham'd, and sore vex'd be all my foes,
Sham'd, and back turned suddenly.

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PSALM VI

Another of the same.

- I**N thy great indignation,
O Lord, rebuke me not ;
Nor on me lay thy chastening hand
in thy displeasure hot.
2 Lord, I am weak, therefore on me
have mercy and me spare :
Heal me, O Lord, because thou knows
my bones much vexed are.
3 My soul is vexed sore ; but, Lord,
how long stay wilt thou make ?
4 Return, Lord, free my soul, and save
me, for thy mercies sake.
5 Because of thee in death there shall
no more remembrance be :
Of those that in the grave do ly,
who shall give thanks to thee ?
6 I with my groaning weary am,
and all the night my bed
I caused for to swim : with tears
my couch I watered.
7 By reason of my vexing grief,
mine eye consumed is :
I waxen old because of all
that be mine enemies.
8 But now depart from me all ye
that work iniquity ;
For why, the Lord hath heard my voice
when I did mourn and cry.
9 Unto my supplication
the Lord did hearing give ;

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PSALM VII.

When I to him my prayer make,
the Lord will it receive.

10 Let all be sham'd, and troubled sore,
that enemies are to me;
Let them turn back, and suddenly
ashamed let them be.

PSALM VII.

○ Lord my God, in thee do I
my confidence repose:
Save and deliver me from all
my persecuting foes.

2 Lest that the enemy my soul
should like a lion tear,
In pieces renting it, while there
is no deliverer.

3 O Lord my God, if it be so
that I committed this;
If it be so, that in my hands
iniquity there is:

4 If I rewarded ill to him
that was at peace with me:
(Yea, even the man that without cause
my foe was, I did free.)

5 Then let the foe pursue, and take
my soul, and my life thrust
Down to the earth, and let him lay
mine honour in the dust.

6 Rise in thy wrath, Lord, raise thy self:
for my foes raging be:
And to the judgement which thou hast
commanded, wake for me:

PSALM VII.

- 7 So shall th' assembly of thy folk
about encompass thee;
Thou therefore, for their sakes, return
unto thy place on high.
- 8 The Lord he shall the people judge:
my judge, Jehovah be,
After my righteousness, and mine
integrity in me.
- 9 O let the wicked's malice end,
but stablish steadfastly
The righteous: for the righteous God,
the heart and reins doth try.
- 10 In God, who saves th' upright in heart,
is my defence and stay.
- 11 God just men judgeth, God is wroth
with ill men every day.
- 12 If he do not return again
then he his sword will whet;
His bow he hath already bent,
and hath it ready set.
- 13 He also hath for him prepar'd
the instruments of death;
Against the persecuters he
his shafts ordained hath.
- 14 Behold, he with iniquity
doth travail as in birth;
A mischief he conceived hath,
and falsehood shall bring forth.
- 15 He made a pit, and digg'd it deep
another there to take;
But he is fallen into the ditch
which

P S A L M VIII

which he himself did make.

16 Upon his own head, his mischief
shall be returned home;

His violent dealing also down
on his own pate shall come.

17 According to his righteousness,
the Lord will magnifie

And will sing praise unto the Name
of God that is most hie.

P S A L M VIII

How excellent in all the earth,
Lord, our Lord, is thy Name?

Who hast thy glory far advanc'd
above the starrie frame.

2 From infants and from sucklings mouth
thou didest strength ordain,

For thy foes cause, that so thou might'st
th'avenging foe restrain.

3 When I look up unto the heavens,
which thine own fingers fram'd,

Unto the moon, and to the stars,
which were by thee ordain'd;

Then say I, what is man, that he
remembered is by thee.

Or what the son of man, that thou
so kind to him shouldst be?

4 For thou a little lower hast
him then the angels made,

With glory and with diguie
thou crown'd hast his head.

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6 Of thy hand works thou mad'st him Lord,
all under's feet didst lay:

7 All sheep and oxen, yea, and beasts
that in the field do stray.

8 Fowls of the air, fish of the sea,
all that passe through the same.

9 How excellent in all the earth,
Lord, our Lord, is thy Name.

P S A L M LXXXII

Lord, thee I'll praise with all my heart,
thy wonders all proclaim.

2 In thee, most high, I'll greatly joy,
and sing unto thy Name.

3 When back my foes were turn'd, they fell,
and perisht at thy sight.

4 For thou maintain'd'st my right and cause
on throne sat'st judging right.

5 The heathen thou rebuked hast,
the wicked overthrow'st.

Thou hast put out their names, that they
may never more be known.

6 O enemy! now destructions have
an end perpetual.

Thou cities raz'd, perisht with them
is their memorial.

7 God shall endure for ay, He doth
for judgement set his throne:

8 In righteousness he to judge the world,
justice to give each one.

9 God also will a refuge be
for those that are oppress'd;

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PSALM LXXXI

A refuge will be he, in times
of trouble to distress.

10 And they that know thy Name, in thee
their confidence will place:

For thou hast not forsaken them
that truly seek thy face.

11 O sing ye praises to the Lord,
that dwells in Sion hill:

And all the nations among,
his deeds record ye still.

12 When he enquireth after blood:

He then remembereth them:

The humble folk He not forgets.

that call upon his Name.

13 Lord, pitié me, behold the grief

which I from foes sustain,

Ev'n thou who from the gates of death:
doth raise me up again.

14 That I in Sions daughters gates,

may all thy praise advance:

And that I may rejoyce alwayes

in thy deliverance.

15 The heathen are sunk in the pit,

which they themselves prepar'd:

And in the net which they have hid,

their own feet fast are snar'd.

16 The Lord is by the judgement known

which he himself hath wrought:

The sinners hands do make the snares

wherewith themselves are caught.

17 They who are wicked into hell

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PSALM XI

each one shall turned be;
And all the nations that forget
to seek the Lord most hie.

18 For they that needy are, shall not
forgotten be alway :

The expectation of the poor
shall not be lost for ay.

19 Arise, Lord, let not man prevail;
judge heathens in thy fight :

20 That they may know themselves vile men,
the nations, Lord, affright.

PSALM XI

Wherefore is it that thou, O Lord,
doest stand from us afar?

And wherefore hidest thou thy self,
when times so troublous are?

2. The wicked in his losinesse
doth persecute the poor :

In these devices they have fram'd,
let them be taken sure.

3. The wicked of his hearts desire,
doth talk with boasting great ;

He blesseth him that's covetous,
whom yet the Lord doth hate.

4. The wicked through his pride of face,
on God he doth not call :

And in the counsell of his heart,
the Lord is not at all.

5. His wayes at all times grievous are,
thy judgements from his sight

Removed are : at all his foes

PSALM XX

- he puffeth with despight;
 6 Within his heart he thus hath said:
 I shall not moved be:
 And no aduersity at all
 shall ever come to me.
- 7 His mouth with cursing, fraud, deceit,
 is fill'd abundantly:
 And underpeath his tongue, there is
 mischief and vanity.
- 8 He closely sits in villages:
 he slayes the innocent;
 Against the poor that passe him by
 his cruel eyes are bent.
- 9 He lion-like lurks in his den,
 he waits the poor to take:
 And when he draws him in his net
 his prey he doth him make.
- 10 Himself he humbleth very low,
 he croucheth down withall,
 That so a multitude of poor
 may by his strong ones fall.
- 11 He this hath said within his heart:
 the Lord hath quite forgot;
 He hides his countenance, and he
 for ever sees it not.
- 12 O Lord, do thou arise; O God,
 lift up thine hand on him:
 Put not the meek afflicted ones
 out of thy memorie.
- 13 Why is it that the wicked man
 thus doth the Lord despise?

Because

P S A L M XI.

Because, that God will it require,
he in his heart denies.

4 Thon hast it seen, for their mischief
and spire thou wilt repay :

The poor commits himself to thee,
thou art the orphans stay.

5 The arm break of the wicked man,
and of the evil one :

Do thou seek out his wickednesse,
untill thou findeft none.

6 The Lord is King through ages all,
ev'n to eternity :

The heathen people from his land
are perisht utterly.

7 O Lord, of those that humble are
thou the desire didst hear :

Thou wilt prepare their heart, and thou
to hear wilt bend thine ear :

8 To judge the fatherlesse, and those
that are oppressed sore.

That man, that is but sprung of earth
may them oppresse no more.

P S A L M XI.

In the Lord do put my trust;
how is it then that ye

Say to my soul, Flee as a bird
unto your mountain hie ?

For lo, the wicked bend their bow,
their shafts on string they fit,

That those who upright are in heart
they privily may hit.

PSALM XII.

- 3 If the foundations be destroyed,
what hath the righteous done?
- 4 God in his holy Temple is,
in Heaven is His throne.
His eyes do see, His eye lids try
5 mens sons. The just he proves:
But his soul hates the wicked man,
and him that violence loves.
- 6 Snares, fire and brimstone, furious storm
on sinners He shall rain:
This, as the porcion of their cup,
doth unto them pertain.
- 7 Because the Lord most righteous doth
in righteousness delight,
And with a pleasant countenance,
beholdeth the upright.

PSALM XII.

- H**elp, Lord, because the godly man
doth daily fade away;
And from among the sons of men,
the faithful do decay.
- 2 Unto his neighbour every one
doth utter vanity:
They with a double heart do speak,
and lips of flattery.
- 3 God shall cut off all flattering lips,
tongues that speak proudly, thus,
- 4 Wee'l with our tongues prevail, our lips
are ours: who's Lord over us?
- 5 For poor oppressed, and for the sighs
of needy, rise will I.

Saith

PSALM XII

Saith God, and him in safety set
from such as him defy.

6 The words of God are words most pure,
they be like silver try'd

In earthen furnace, seven times
that hath been purify'd.

7 Lord, thou shalt them preserve and keep
for ever from this race,

On each side walk the wicked, when
vile men are high in place.

PSALM XIII.

How long wilt thou forget me, Lord,
shall it for ever be :

O how long shall it be, that thou
wilt hide thy face from me ?

2 How long take counsel in my soul,
still sad in heart shall I ?

How long exalted over me
shall be mine enemy ?

3 O Lord my God, consider well,
and answer to me make :

Mine eyes enlighten, lest the sleep
of death me overtake.

4 Lest that mine enemies should say,
against him I prevail'd ;

And those that trouble me rejoyce
when I am mov'd and fall'd.

5 But I have all my confidence
thy mercy set upon :

My heart within me shall rejoyce
in thy salvation.

PSALM XIV.

6 I will unto the Lord my God
sing praises chearfully.
Because he hath his bounty shown
to me abundantly.

PSAL. XIV.

THAT there is not a God, the fool
doth in his heart conclude:
They are corrupt, their works are vile,
not one of them doth good.
2 Upon mens sons the Lord from heaven
did cast his eyes abroad;
To see if any understood,
or did seek after God.
3 They altogether filthy are,
they all aside are gone:
And there is none that doth good,
yea sure there is not one.
4 These workers of iniquity
do they not know at all,
That they my people eat as bread,
and on God do not call?
5 There fear'd they much: for God is with
the whole race of the just.
6 You shame the counsel of the poor,
because God is his trust.
7 Let Israels help from Sion come,
when back the Lord shall bring
His Captives. Jacob shall rejoyce,
and Israel shall sing.

PSAL. XV.

WHICH in thy tabernacle, Lord,
who shall abide with thee? And

PSALM XVI.

And in thy high and holy hill,
who shall a dweller be?

The man that walketh uprightly,
and worketh righteousness,
And, as he thinketh in his heart,
so doth he truth expresse.

Who doth not slander with his tongue,
nor to his friend doth hurt,
Nor yet against his neighbour doth
take up an ill report.

In whose eyes vile men are despis'd:
but those that God do fear
He honoureth, and changeth not,
though to his hurt he swear.

His coyn puts not to usury,
nor take reward will he
Against the guiltlesse. Who doth thus
shall never moved be.

PSAL. XVI.

Lord, keep me, for I trust in thee,
To God thus was my speech,
Thou art my Lord, and unto thee
my goodnesse doth not reach:

To saints on earth, to th'excellent
where my delights all plac'd.

Their sorrows shall be multiply'd,
to other gods that haste:

Of their drink offerings of blood
I will no offering make,

Yea, neither I their very names
up in my lips will take.

5 God

PSALM XVII.

5 God is of mine inheritance
and cup the portion :
The lot that fallen is to me,
thou dost maintain alone.

6 Unto me happily the lines
in pleasant places fell ;

Yea, the inheritance I got
in beauty doth excell.

7 I bless the Lord, because he doth
by counsel me conduct :
And in the seasons of the night,
my reins do me instruct.

8 Before me still the Lord I set :
sith it is so, that he

Doth ever stand at my right hand,
I shall not moved be.

9 Because of this my heart is glad
and joy shall be express

Ev'n by my glory : and my flesh
in confidence shall rest.

10 Because my soul in grave to dwell
shall not be left by thee ;

Nor wilt thou give thy holy One
corruption to see.

11 Thou wilt me shew the path of life :
of joyes there is full store

Before thy face, at thy right hand
are pleasures evermore.

PSALM XVII.

Lord, hear the right, attend my cry,
unto my pray'r give heed.

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- That doth not in hypocrisie
from feigned lips proceed.
- 2 And from before thy presence forth
my sentence do thou send :
Toward these things that equal are
do thou thine eyes intend.
- 3 Thou prov'dst my heart, thou visit'dst me,
by night thou did'st me try,
Yet nothing sound'st : for that my mouth
shall not sin purpos'd I.
- 4 As for men's works, I by the word
that from thy lips do flow,
Did me preserve out of the paths
wherein destroyers go.
- 5 Hold up my goings, Lord me guide
in those thy paths divine,
So that my footsteps may not slide
out of these wayes of thine.
- 6 I called have on thee, O God,
because thou wilt me hear :
That thou may'st hearken to my speech,
to me incline thine ear,
- 7 Thy wordrons loving kindness show
thou that by thy right hand
Sav'st them that in thee trust, from those
that up against them stand.
- 8 As th'apple of the eye we keep :
in thy wings shade me close,
- 9 From lewd oppressours compassing
me round as deadly fow.
- 10 In their own net they are inclos'd :

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their mouth speaks loftily.
 11 Our steps they compass, and to grieve
 down bowing set their eye.
 12 He like unto a lion is,
 that's greedy of his prey,
 Or lion young, which lurking doth
 in secret places stay:
 13 Arise, and disappoint my foe,
 and cast him down, O Lord;
 My soul save from the wicked man,
 the man which is thy sword.
 14 From men which are thy hand, O Lord,
 from worldly men me save,
 Which only in this present life
 their part and portion have:
 Whose belly with thy treasure hid
 thou fill'st, they children have
 In plenty, of their goods the rest
 they to their children leave.
 15 But as for me, I thine own face
 in righteousness will see:
 And with thy likenesse, when I wake,
 I satisfied shall be.

PSALM XXVII

Thee will I love, O Lord, my strength.
 2 My fortress is the Lord,
 My rock, and he that doth to me
 deliverance afford:
 My God, my strength, whom I will trust,
 a buckler unto me,
 The horn of my salvation,

PSALM XVIII.

and my high tow'r is he.

Upon the Lord who worthy is
of praises, will I cry;

And then shall I preserved be
safe from mine enemy.

Floods of ill men affrighted me,
death's pangs about me went,

Hells sorrows me environed:
death's snares did me prevent.

In my distresse I call'd on God,
cry to my God did I:

From his temple heard my voice,
to his ears came my cry.

Th'earth as affrighted, then did shake,
trembling upon it seised;

The hills foundations moved were,
because he was displeased.

Up from his nostrils came a smoke,
and from his mouth there came
devouring fire, and coals by it,
were turned into flame.

He also bowed down the heavens,
and thence he did descend;

And thickest clouds of darkness did
under his feet attend:

And he upon a chernub rode,
and thereon he did fly:

Yea, on the swift wings of the wind
his flight was from on hy.

He darknesse made his secret place:
about him for his tenr.

PSALM XLVII.

Dark waters were, and thick the clouds
of th'airie firmament.

12 And at the brightness of that light
which was before his eye,
His thick clouds past away, hail-stones,
and coals of fire did fly.

13 The Lord God also in the heavens
did thunder in his ire ;
And there the Highest gave his voice,
hail stones and coals of fire.

14 Yea, he his arrows sent abroad,
and them he scattered;
His lightnings also he shot out,
and them he consumed.

15 The waters channels then were seen,
the worlds foundations left
At thy rebuke discovered were,
and at thy nostrils blast.

16 And from above the Lord sent down
and took me from below,
From many waters he me drew,
which would me overflow.

17 He me reliev'd from my strong foes
and such as did me hate :
Because he saw that they for me
too strong were, and too great.

18 They me prevented in the day
of my calamitie :
But even then the Lord himself
a stay was unto me.

19 He, to a place where liberty

PSALM XVIII.

and room was, hath me brought:
 because he took delight in me,
 He my deliverance wrought.
 According to my righteousness
 He did me recompence,
 He me repay'd according to
 my hands pure innocence.
 For I Gods wayes kept, from my God
 did not turn wickedly.
 His judgements were before me, I
 his Laws put not from me.
 Sincere before him was my heart,
 with him upright was I:
 And watchfully I kept my self
 from mine iniquity.
 After my righteousness the Lord
 hath recompenced me,
 After the cleanness of my hands
 appearing in his eye.
 Thou gracious to the gracious art,
 to upright men upright.
 Pure to the pure, froward thou kyths,
 unto the froward wight.
 For thou wilt the afflicted save,
 in grief that low do ly:
 But wilt bring down the countenance
 of them whose looks are hy.
 The Lord will light my candle so,
 that it shall shine full bright:
 The Lord my God will also make
 my darkness to be light.

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29 By thee through troops of men I bre
and them discomfit all ;
And, by my God assisting me,
I over-leap a wall.

30 As for God, perfect is his way :
the Lord his word is try'd ;

He is a buckler to all those
who do on him confide.

31 Who but the Lord is God ? but he
who is a rock and stay ?

32 It's God that girdeth me with strength
and perfect makes my way.

33 He made my feet swift as the hinds,
set me on my high places :

34 Mine hands to war he taught, mine arms
broke bows of steel in pieces.

35 The shield of thy salvation
thou didst on me bestow :

Thy right hand held me up, and great
thy kindnesse made me grow.

36 And in my way, my steps thou hast
enlarged under me,

That I go safely, and my feet
are kept from sliding free.

37 Mine enemies I pursued have
and did them over-take ;

Nor did I turn again, till I
an end of them did make.

38 I wounded them, they could not rise,
they at my feet did fall.

39 Thou girdest me with strength for war

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my foes thou brought down all.

40 And thou hast giv'n to me the necks
of all mine enemies :

That I might them destroy and slay
who did against me rise.

41 They cryed out, but there was none
that would or could them save :

Yea, they did cry unto the Lord,
but he no answer gave.

42 Then did I bear them small, as dust
before the winde that flies :

And I did cast them out like dirt
upon the street that lyes.

43 Thou mad'st me free from peoples strife,
and heathens head to be :

A people whom I have not known,
shall service do to me :

44 At hearing they shall me obey,
to me they shall submit.

45 Strangers for fear shall fade away,
who in close places sit.

46 God lives, blest be my rock ; the God
of my health praised be :

47 God doth avenge me, and subdues
the people under me.

48 He saves me from mine enemies
yea, thou hast lifed me

Above my foes : and from the man
of violence serst me free.

49 Therefore to thee will I give thanks
the heathen folk among :

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And to thy Name, O Lord, I will
sing praises in a song.

So He great deliverance gives his king,
his mercy doth extend
To David, his anointed one,
and his seed without end.

PSALM XIX.

THe heav'ns Gods glory do declare,
the skyes his hand works preach.

2. Day utters speech to day, and night
to night, doth knowledge teach.

3. There is no speech nor tongue, to which
their voice doth not extend,

4. Their line is gone through all the earth,
their words to the worlds end.

In them be seen the suns race,

5. Who baide groom like torch goes
From's chamber, as a strong man doth
to run his race, rejoyce.

6. From heav'ns end is his going forth,
circling to th'end again.

And there is nothing from his heat
that hidden dark remain.

7. Gods law is perfect, and converts
the soul in sin that lyes.

Gods testimony is most sure,
and makes the simple wise.

8. The statutes of the Lord are right
and do rejoyce the heart;

The Lords command is pure, and doth
light to the eyes impart.

PSALM XX.

Unspotted is the fear of God
and doth endure for ever;
The judgements of the Lord are true
and righteous altogether.
10 They more then gold; yea, much fine gold,
to be desired are;
Then honey from the honey comb
that droppeth, sweeter far.
11 Moreover, thy thy servant warn
how he his life should frame;
A great reward provided is
for them that keep the same.
12 Who can his errors understand?
O cleanse thou me within
13 From secret fables: Thy servant keep
from all presumptuous sin.
And do not suffer them to have
dominion over me;
Then righteous and innocent
I from such sin shall be.
14 The words which from my mouth proceed,
the thoughts sent from my heart
Accept, O Lord, for thou my strength
and my redeemer art.

PSALM XX.

JEHOVAH hear thee in the day
when trouble he doth send,
And let the Name of Jacobs God,
thee from all ill defend.
2 O let him help send from above,
out of his sanctuary;

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From Sion his own holy hill,
let him give strength to thee.

3 Let him remember all thy gifts,
accept thy sacrifice.

4 Grant thee thy hearts wish, and fulfill
thy thoughts and counsel wise.

5 In thy salvation we will joy;
in our Gods name we will

Display our banners: and the Lord
thy prayers all fulfill.

6 Now know I, God his king doth save,
he from his holy heaven

Will hear him, with the saving strength
by his own right hand given.

7 In chariots some put confidence,
some horses trust upon:

But we remember will the Name
of our Lord God alone.

8 We rise, and upright stand, when they
are bowed down, and fall:

Deliver Lord, and let the King
us hear, when we do call.

PSALM XXI.

THe King in thy great strength, O Lord,
shall very joyful be,

In thy salvation rejoyce,
how vehemently shall he!

2 Thou hast bestowed upon him
all that his heart would have,

And thou from him didst not withhold
what ere his lips did crave.

PSALM XXL

- For thou with blessings him prevent'st
of goodnesse manifold ;
And thou hast set upon his head,
a crown of purest gold:
When he desired life of thee,
thou life to him didst give :
Ev'n such a length of dayes, that he
for evermore should live.
In that salvation wrought by thee
his glory is made great ;
Honour and comely Majesty,
thou hast upon him set.
Because that thou for evermore
most blessed hast him made ;
And thou hast with thy countenance
made him exceeding glad:
Because the King upon the Lord,
his confidence doth lay,
And through the grace of the most high
shall not be mov'd away.
Thine hand shall all those men finde out,
that enemies are to thee,
Ev'n thy right hand shall finde out those
of thee that haters be.
Like fiery ow'n thou shalt them make
when kindled is thine ire ;
God shall them swallow in his wrath,
devour them shall the fire.
Their fruit from earth thou shalt destroy
their seed men from among ;
For they, beyond their might

PSALM XXII.

did plot mischief and wrong.

12 Thou therefore shalt make them turn back
when thou thy shafts shalt place
Upon thy strings, made ready all
to file against their face.

13 In thy great power and strength, O Lord
be thou exalted hie ;
So shall we sing with joyful hearts,
thy power praise shall we.

PSALM XXII.

MY God, my God, why hast thou me
forsaken ? why so far,
Art thou from helping me, and from
my words that roaring are ?

2 All day, my God, to thee I cry,
yet am not heard by thee ;
And in the season of the night
I cannot silent be.

3 But thou art holy, thou that dost
inhabite Israels praise.

4 Our fathers hop'd in thee, they hop'd,
and thou didst them release.

5 When unto thee they sent their cry,
to them deliverance came ;
Because they put their trust in thee,
they were not put to shame.

6 But as for me, a worm I am,
and as no man am prisd :
Reproach of men I am, and by
the people am dispisd.

7 All that me see laugh me to scorn,
shoot out the lip do they ;

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They nod and shake their heads at me,
and mocking thus, do say,

8 This man did trust in God, that he
would free him by his might :

Let him deliver him, such he
had in him such delight.

9 But thou art he out of the womb
that didst me safely take ;

When I was on my mothers breasts
thou me to hope didst make.

10 And I was cast upon thy care
ev'n from the womb till now ;

And from my mothers belly, Lord,
my God and guide art thou.

11 Be not far off, for grief is near,
and none to help is found.

12 Bulls many compass me ; strong bulls
of bashan me surround.

13 Their mouths they op'ned wide on me,
upon me gape did they,

Like to a lion ravening,
and roaring for his prey.

14 Like water I'm pour'd out, my bones
all out of joynt do part.

Amidst my bowels, as the wax,
so melted is my heart.

15 My strength is like a postheard dry'd :
my tongue it cleaveth fast

Unto my jaws ; and to the dust
of death thou brought me hast.

16 For dogs have compass me about

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- the wicked that did meet;
In their assembly me inclos'd,
they pierc'd my hands and feet.
- 17 I all my bones may tell; they do
upon me look and stare.
- 18 Upon my vesture lots they cast
and cloaths among them share.
- 19 But be not far, O Lord, my strength,
haste to give help to me.
- 20 From sword my soul, from power of dogs,
my darling set thou free.
- 21 Out of the roaring Lions mouth
do thou me shield and save:
For from the horns of Unicorns,
an ear to me thou gave.
- 22 I will shew forth thy Name unto
those that my brethren are:
Amidst the congregation
thy praise I will declare.
- 23 Praise ye the Lord, who do him fear;
him glorifie all ye,
The seed of Jacob; fear him all
that Isra'ls children be.
- 24 For he despis'd not, nor abhor'd
th' afflicteds misery:
Nor from him hid his face, but heard
when he to him did cry.
- 25 Within the congregation great
my praise shall be of thee:
My vows before them that him fear,
shall be perform'd by me.

PSALM XXIII.

26 The meek shall eat, and shall be filled:
they also praise shall give
Unto the Lord, that do him seek
your heart shall ever live.

27 All ends of th' earth remember shall
and turn the Lord unto;
All kindreds of the nations,
to him shall homage do,

28 Because the kingdom to the Lord
doth appertain as his:

Likewise among the nations
the Governour he is.

29 Earths far ones eat and worship shall:
all who to dust descend
Shall bow to him: none of them can
his soul from death defend.

30 A seed shall service do to him,
unto the Lord it shall
Be for a generation
reckoned in ages all.

31 They shall come and they shall declare
his truth and righteousness,
Unto a people yet unborn,
and that he hath done this.

PSALM XXIII.

THE Lords my shepherd, I'll not want: O

2 He makes me down to ly
In pastures green: he leadeeth me
the quiet waters by.

3 My soul he doth restore again
and me to walk doth make

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PSALM XXIV.

Within the paths of righteousness
ev'n for his own Names sake,

4 Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
yet will I fear none ill;

For thou art with me, and thy rod
and staff me comfort still.

5 My table thou hast furnished
in presence of my foes:

My head thou dost with oyl anoint,
and my cup overflows.

6 Goodnesse and mercy all my life,
shall surely follow me;

And in Gods house for evermore
my dwelling place shall be.

PSALM XXIV.

THe earth belongs unto the Lord,
and all that it contains:

The world that is inhabited,
and all that their remains.

2 For the foundations thereof
he on the seas did lay,

And he hath it established
upon the floods to stay.

3 Who is the man that shall ascend
into the hill of God?

Or who within his holy place
shall have a firm abode?

4 Whose hands are clean, whose heart is pure
and unto vanity

Who hath not lifted up his soul,
nor sworn deceitfully.

PSALM XXV

He from th' Eternal shall receive
the blessing him upon,

And righteousness ev'n from the God
of his salvation.

6 This is the generation
that after him enquire,

O Jacob, who do seek thy face
with their whole hearts desire,

7 Ye gates lift up your heads on high,
ye doors that last for ay
Be lifted up, that so the King
of glory enter may.

8 But who of glory is the King?
the mighty Lord is this,
Ev'n that same Lord, that great in might,
and strong in battel is,

9 Ye gates lift up your heads, ye doors,
doors that do last for ay
Be lifted up, that so the King
of glory enter may,

10 But who is he that is the King
of glory? Who is this?
The Lord of hosts, and none but he
the King of glory is.

PSALM XXV

TO thee I lift my soul.

2 O Lord I trust in thee,
My God, let me not be sham'd,
nor foes triumph o'er me.

3 Let none that wait on thee
be put to shame at all;

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But those that without cause transgresse,
let shame upon them fall.

4 Shew me thy wayes, O Lord;
thy paths, O teach thou me:

5 And do thou lead me in thy truth,
therein my teacher be:

For thou art God that doest
to me salvation send,

And I upon thee, all the day
expecting do attend.

6 Thy tender mercies, Lord,
I pray thee to remember,

And loving kindnesse, for they
have been of old for ever.

7 My sins and faults of youth
do thou, O Lord, forget;

After thy mercy think on me,
and for thy goodnesse great.

8 God good and upright is,
the way he'll sinners show.

9 The meek in judgement he will guide,
and make his path to know.

10 The whole paths of the Lord
are truth and mercy sure

To those that do his covenant keep,
and testimonies pure.

11 Now for thine own Names sake,
O Lord, I thee intreat

To pardon mine iniquity,
for it is very great.

12 What man is he that fears

PSALM XXV.

the Lord, and doth him serve;
in shall he teach the way that he
shall choofe and still observe.

His soul shall dwell at ease;
and his posterity
all flourish still, and of the earth
inheritors shall be.

With those that fear him, is
the secret of the Lord:
the knowledge of his covenant
he will to them afford.

Mine eyes upon the Lord
continually are set;
for it is he that shall bring forth
my feet out of the net.

Turn unto me thy face,
and to me mercy show;
because that I am desolate,
and am brought very low.

My heart's griefs are increas'd;
me from distresse relieve.

See mine affliction and my pain,
and all my sins forgive.

Consider thou my foes,
because they many are,
and it a cruel hatred is
which they against me bear.

O do thou keep my soul,
do thou deliver me;
and let me never be sham'd,
because I trust in thee.

PSALM XXV

21 Let uprightnesse and truth
keep me, who thee attend.
22 Redemption, Lord, to Israel
from all his troubles send.

Another of the same.

TO thee I lift my soul, O Lord :

2 My God, I trust in thee ;
Let me not be ashamed ; let not
my foes triumph over me.

3 Yes, let thou none ashamed be
that do on thee attend ;

Ashamed let them be, O Lord,
who without cause offend.

4 Thy wayes, Lord, shew ; teach me thy path

5 Lead me in truth ; teach me ;
For of my safety thou art God,
all day I wait on thee.

6 Thy mercies that most tender are,
do thou, O Lord, remember.

And loving kindnesses ; for they
have been of old for ever.

7 Let not the errors of my youth
nor sins remembered be ;

In mercy, for thy goodness sake,
O Lord, remember me.

8 The Lord is good and gracious,
He upright is also :

He therefore sinners will instruct
in wayes that they should go.

9 The meek and lowly he will guide
in judgement just alway :

PSALM XXV.

- To meek and poor afflicted ones
hee'll clearly teach his way.
- 10 The whole path of the Lord our God,
are truth and mercy sure;
To such as keep his covenant,
and testimonies pure.
- 11 Now for thine own Names sake, O Lord,
I humbly thee increase
To pardon mine iniquity:
for it is very great.
- 12 What man fears God? him shall he teach
the way that he shall choole.
- 13 His soul shall dwell at ease, his seed
the earth as heirs shall use:
- 14 The secret of the Lord is with
such as do fear his Name,
And he his holy covenants
will manifest to them.
- 15 Towards the Lord my waiting eyes
continually are set:
for he it is that shall bring forth
my feet out of the net.
- 16 O turn thee unto me, O God,
have mercy me upon:
because I solitary am,
and in affliction.
- 17 Enlarg'd the griefs are of my heart,
me from distresse relieve,
- 18 See mine affliction and my pain,
and all my sins forgive,
- 19 Consider thou mine enemies
because

PSALM XXVI.

because they many are,
And it a cruel hatred is,
which they against me bear.
20 O do thou keep my soul, O God,
do thou deliver me;
Let me not be ashamed, for I
do put my trust in thee.

21 O let integrity and truth
keep me who thee attend:

22 Redemption, Lord, to Israel
from all his troubles send.

PSALM XXVI.

Judge me, O Lord, for I have walkt
in mine integrity;

I trusted also in the Lord;
slide therefore shall not I.

2 Examine me, and do me prove;
try heart and reins, O God.

3 For thy love is before mine eyes,
thy truths paths I have trod.

4 With persons vain I have not sate,
nor with dissemblers gone.

5 Th'assembly of ill men I hate;
to sit with such I shun.

6 Mine hands in innocence, O Lord,
I'll wash and purify:

So to thine holy altar go
and compass it will I.

7 That I, with voice of thanksgiving,
may publish and declare,

PSALM XXVII.

And tell of all thy mighty works,
that great and wondrous are.

8 The habitation of thy house,
Lord, I have loved well:

Yes, in that place I do delight,
where doth thine honour dwell.

9 With sinners gather not my soul,
and such as blood would spill:

10 Whose hands mischievous plots, right hand
corrupting bribes do fill.

11 But as for me, I will walk on
in my integrity;

Do thou redeem me, and, O Lord,
be merciful to me.

12 My foot upon an even place
doth stand with steadfastness;

Within the congregations
th' eternal I will bless.

PSALM XXVII.

THe Lords my light, and saving health,
who shall make me dismayd?

My lifes strength is the Lord, of whom
then shall I be afraid?

2 When as mine enemies and foes,
most wicked persons all,

To eat my flesh against me rose,
they stumbled and did fall.

3 Against me though an host encamp,
my heart yet fearless is;

Though war against me rise, I will
be confident in this.

4 One thing I of the Lord desir'd,
and will seek to obtain,
That all dayes of my life I may
within Gods house remain,

That I the beauty of the Lord,
behold may and admire,
And that I in his holy place
may reverently enquire.

5 For he, in his pavilion, shall
me hide in evil dayes;
In secret of his tent me hide,
and on a rock me raise.

6 And now, ev'n at this present time
mine head shall lifted be
Above all those that be my foes,
and round encompassse me:
Therefore into his tabernacle
I'll sacrifices bring
Of joyfulness, I'll sing; yea, I
to God will praising.

7 O Lord give ear unto my voice,
when I do cry to thee:
Upon me also mercy have,
and do thou answer me.

8 When thou didst say, seek ye my face,
then unto thee reply
Thus did my heart, above all things,
thy face, Lord, seek will I.

9 Far from me hide not thou thy face,
put not away from thee
Thy servant in thy wrath; thou hast

PSALM XXXVII.

- an helper been to me :
 O God of my salvation,
 leave me not, nor forsake ;
 Though mine enemies both should leave,
 the Lord will me up-take.
 O Lord instruct me in thy way ;
 to me a leader be,
 a plain path, because of those
 that hatred bear to me :
 Give me not to mine enemies will,
 for witnesses that lie,
 against me risen are ; and such
 as breath out cruelty.
 I fainted had, unless that I
 believed had, to see
 The Lords own goodnesse in the land
 of them that living be.
 Wait on the Lord : and be thou strong
 and he shall strength afford
 unto thine heart : yea, do thou wait,
 I say, upon the Lord.

PSALM XXXVIII.

- To thee I'll cry, O Lord, my rock,
 hold not thy peace to me ;
 lest, like those that to pite descend,
 I by thy silence be.
 The voice hear of my humble pray'rs,
 when unto thee I cry ;
 When to thy holy Oracle
 I lift mine hands on hy.
 With ill men draw me not away,

that

PSALM XXXIX.

that work iniquity;
That speak peace to their friends, while
their hearts doth mischief lye:

4 Give them according to their deeds,
and ill's endeavoured;
And, as their handy works deserve,
to them be rendered.

5 God shall not build, but them destroy
who would not understand
The Lords own works, nor did regard
the doing of his hand.

6 For ever blessed be the Lord;
for gracionfly he heard
The voice of my petitions;
and prayers did regard.

7 The Lord's my strength and shield, my helpe
upon him did rely,
And I am helped, hence my heart
doth joy exceedingly.

And with my song I will him praise:
8 Their strength is God alone;
He also is the saving strength,
of his appointed One.

9 O thine own people do thou save,
blessed shine inheritance:
Them also do thou feed, and them
for evermore advance.

PSALM XXXIX.

Give ye unto the Lord, ye sons
that of the mighty be;
All strength and glory to the Lord,

PSALM XXIX.

with chearfulnesse give ye.

Unto the Lord the glory give,
that to his Name is due ;
and in the beauty of holinesse,
unto Jehovah bow.

The Lords voice on the waters is,
the God of Majestie

doth thunder, and on multitudes
of waters sitteth he.

A pow'rful voice it is that comes
out from the Lord most hie ;

the voice of that great Lord is full
of glorious Majestie.

The voice of the eternal doth
asunder cedars rear ;

as, God the Lord doth cedars break
that Lebanon doth bear.

He makes them like a calf to skip ;
ev'n that great Lebanon.

and like to a young Unicorn
the mountain Sirion :

Gods voice divides the flames of fire ;

8 The desert it doth shake ;

the Lord doth make the wilderness
of Kadesh, all to quake.

Gods voice doth make the hinds to calve ;
it makes the forrests bare ;

and in his Temple every one
his glory doth declare.

The Lord sits on the floods ; the Lord
sits King, and ever shall.

PSALM XXX

11 The Lord will give his people strength
and with peace blesse them all.

PSAL. XXX

Lord, I will thee extoll, for thou
hast lifted me on high,
And over me thou to rejoyce
mad'st not mine enemies.

2 O thou who art the Lord my God,
I in distresse to thee
With loud cryes lifted up my voice,
and thou hast healed me.

3 O Lord, my soul thou hast brought up
and rescu'd from the grave:
That I to pit should not go down,
alive thou didst me save.

4 O ye that are his holy ones,
sing praise unto the Lord;
And give unto him thanks, when you
his holinesse record.

5 For, but a moment lasts his wrath,
life in his favour lyes:
Weeping may for a night endure,
at morn doth joy arise.

6 In my prosperity I said,
that nothing shall me move.

7 O Lord, thou hast my mountain made,
to stand strong by thy love.

But when that thou, O gracious God,
didst hide thy face from me.

Then quickly was my prosperous state
turn'd into miserie.

PSALM XXXI.

Wherefore unto the Lord, my cry,
 I caused to ascend:
 My humble supplication,
 I to the Lord did send,
 What profit is there in my blood,
 when I go down to pit?
 Shall unto thee the dust give praise?
 thy truth declare shall it?
 O Hear, Lord, have mercy, help me, Lord,
 II Thou turned hast my sadness,
 To dancing; yea, my sackcloth loof'd,
 and girded me with gladness.
 2 That sing thy praise my glory may,
 and never silent be;
 O Lord my God, for evermore
 I will give thanks to thee.

PSALM XXXI.

IN thee, O Lord, I put my trust,
 I shan'd let me never be:
 According to thy righteousness,
 do thou deliver me.
 Bow down thine ear to me, with speed
 send me deliverance;
 To save me my strong rock be thou,
 and my house of defence.
 Because thou art my rock, and thee
 I for my fortress take;
 Therefore do thou me lead and guide,
 ev'n for thine own Names sake.
 4 And sith thou art my strength, therefore
 pull me out of the net,

PSALM XXXI.

Which they in subrility for me
so privily have ser.

5 Into thine hands, I do commit
my sp'rit ; for thou art he,
O thou Jehovah, God of truth,
that hast redeemed me.

6 Those that do lying vanities
regard, I have abhor'd :
But as for me, my confidence
is fixed on the Lord.

7 He in thy mercy gladly joy :
for thou my miseries
Considered hast ; thou hast my soul,
known in adversities ;

8 And thou hast not inclosed me
within the enemies hand ;
And by thee have my feet been made
in a large room to stand.

9 O Lord, upon me mercy have,
for trouble is on me :
Mine eye, my belly, and my soul
with grief consumed be.

10 Because my life with grief is spent,
my years with sighs and groans :
My strength doth fail ; and for my sin
consumed are my bones.

11 I was a scorn to all my foes,
and to my friends a fear :
And specially reproacht of those
that were my neighbours near :
When they me saw, they from me fled ;

PSALM XXXI.

- 12 Ev'n so I am forgot,
As men are out of minde, when dead
I'm like a broken pot.
- 13 For slanders I of many heard,
fear compass me, while they
Against me did console and plor,
to take my life away.
- 14 But as for me, O Lord, my trust,
upon thee I did lay :
And I to thee, thou art my God,
did confidently say :
- 15 My times are wholly in thine hand,
do thou deliver me,
From their hands, that mine enemies
and persecutors be :
- 16 Thy countenance to shine, do thou
upon thy servant make :
Unto me give salvation,
for thy great mercies sake.
- 17 Let me not be sham'd, O Lord,
for on thee call'd I have :
Let wicked men be sham'd, let them
be silent in the grave.
- 18 To silence put the lying lips,
that grievous things do say,
And hard reports, in pride and scorn,
on righteous men, do lay.
- 19 How great's the goodnesse thou for them
that fear thee keep'st in store ;
And wrought'st for them that trust in thee
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PSALM XXXII.

the sons of men before! *John 1:11*

20 In secret of thy presence, thou
shalt hide them from mens pride :
From strife of tongues, thou closely shalt
as in a rent them hide.

21 All praise and thanks be to the Lord,
for he hath magnifi'd
His wondrous love to me, within
a city fortifi'd.

22 For from thine eyes turn off I am,
(I in my haste had said)
My voice yet heardst thou, when to thee
with cries my moan I made.

23 O love the Lord, all ye his Saints;
because the Lord doth reward
The faithful, and he plentifully
proude doers doth reward.

24 Be of good courage, and he strength
unto your heart shall lend.
All ye whose hope and confidence

1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered.

P. S. 704. I have been thinking of you

○ Blessed is the man, to whom
is freely pardoned
All the transgression he hath done,
whose sin is covered.

**a Blessing to the world from the Voice of
impureth nothine.**

And in whose spirit there is no guile, nor fraud is found therein.

3. When did I refrain my speech? w b

PSALM XXXII.

and silent was my tongue :

My bones thou waxed old, because
I covered all day long.

For upon me both day and night
thine hand did heavy ly,
so that my moisture turned is
in summers drought thereby.

I thereupon have unto thee
my sin acknowledged :

And likewise mine iniquity,

I have not covered :

will confesse unto the Lord
my trespasses said I ;

And of my sin, thou freely didst
forgive th' iniquity.

For this shall every godly one,
his prayer make to thee,
in such a time he shall thee seek,
as found thou mayest be.

When floods of waters great,
do swell up to the brim,
They shall not overwhelm his soul,
nor once come near to him.

Thou art my hiding place, thou shalt
from trouble keep me free ;
Thou with songs of deliverance,
about shalt compass me.

I will instruct thee, and thee teach
the way that thou shalt go.

And, with mine eye upon thee set,
I will direction show.

PSALM XXXIII.

- 9 Then be not like the horse or mule
which do not understand;
Whose mouth, lest they come near to thee,
a bridle must command.
- 10 Unto the man that wicked is,
his sorrows shall abound:
But him that trusteth in the Lord,
mercy shall compass round.
- 11 Ye righteous in the Lord be glad,
in him do ye rejoyce;
All ye that upright are in heart
for joy lift up your voice.

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- Y**E righteous in the Lord rejoyce;
it comely is, and right:
That upright men with thankfull voice
should praise the Lord of might.
- 2 Praise God with harp: and unto him,
sing with the psalterie,
Upon a ten string'd instrument
make ye sweet melodie.
 - 3 A new song to him sing, and play
with loud noise skillfully.
 - 4 For right is Gods word, all his works
are done in verity.
 - 5 To judgement and to righteousness
a love He beareth still;
The loving kindnesse of the Lord
the earth throughout do fill.
 - 6 The heavens by the word of God,
did their beginning take:

PSALM XXXIIN

And by the breathing of his mouth,
He all their hosts did make.

The waters of the seas He brings
together as an heap :

And in store houses, as it were,
He layeth up the deepth.

Ler earth, and all that live therein,
with reverence fear the Lord :

Let all the worlds inhabitants
dread him with one accord.

For He did speak the word; and done
it was, without delay ;

Established it firmly stood
what ever he did say.

God doth the counsel bring to nought
which heathen folk do take :

And what the people do devise,
of none effect doth make.

O ! but the counsel of the Lord,
doth stand for ever sure,

And of his heart the purposes,
from age to age endure.

That nation blessed is, whose God
Jehovah is : and those

blessed people are, whom for
his heritage he chose.

The Lord from heav'n sees and beholds
all sons of men full well.

He views all from his dwelling place,
that in the earth do dwell.

PSALM XXXIV.

- 15 He forms their hearts alike, and all
their doings he observeth.
16 Great hosts have not a King: much strength
no mighty man preserves.
17 An horse for preservation,
is a deceitful thing:
And by the greatnesse of his strength,
cannot deliverance bring.
18 Behold on those that do him fear,
the Lord doth set his eye:
Ev'n those who on his mercy do
with confidence rely.
19 From death to free their souls, in
life unto them to yield.
20 Our soul doth wait upon the Lord,
he is our help and shield.
21 Sith in his holy Name we trust,
our hearts shall joyful be.
22 Lord let thy mercy be on us, and
as we do hope in thee.

PSALM XXXIV.

- G**OD will I blesse all times: His praise
my mouth shall still expresse.
2 My soul shall boast in God: the meek
shall hear with joyfullnesse.
3 Extoll the Lord with me, let us
exalt his name together.
4 I fought the Lord, he heard and did
me from all fears deliver.
5 They looked to him, and lightened were.

PSALM XXXIV.

not shamed were their faces.
This poor man cry'd, God heard and sav'd
him from all his distresses.

The angel of the Lord encamps,
and round encompasseth
those about that do him fear,
and them delivereth.

O taste and see, that God is good:
who trusts in him is blest.

Fear God his saints: none that him fear
shall be with want oppress.

The lions young may hungry be,
and they may lack their food
they, that truly seek the Lord,
shall not lack any good.

O children, hither do ye come,
and unto me give ear:

all you teach to understand
how ye the Lord should fear.

What man is he that life desires,
to see good would live long?

Thy lips refrain from speaking guile;
and from ill words thy tongue.

Depart from ill, do good, seek peace,
pursue it earnestly.

Gods eyes are on the just; his ears
are open to their cry.

The face of God is set against
those that do wickedly;

that he may quite out from the earth,
cut off their memory.

PSALM XXXV.

17 The righteous cry unto the Lord,
he unto them gives ear;

And they, out of their troubles all
by him delivered are.

18 The Lord is ever nigh to them
that be of broken spirit:

To them he safety doth afford,
that are in heart contrite:

19 The troubles that afflict the just,
in number many be:

But yet at length out of them all
the Lord doth set them free.

20 He carefully his bones doth keep,
whatever can befall:

That not so much as one of them
can broken be at all:

21 Ill shall the wicked stay: laid waste
shall be, who hate the just.

22 The Lord redeems his servants souls:
none perish that him trust.

P S A L M XXXV.

PLead, Lord, with those that plead,
with those that fight with me.

2 Of shield and buckler take thou hold,
stand up mine help to be.

3 Draw also out the spear and do
against them stop the way.

That me pursue: unto my soul,
I'm thy salvation, say.

4 Let them confounded be, and sham'd,
that for my soul have sought:

PSALM XXXV.

Who plot my hurt, turn'd back be they
and to confusion brought.

5 Let them be like unto the chaff,
that flies before the wind :

And let the angel of the Lord
pursue them hard behind.

6 With darknesse cover thou their way,
and let it slipperie prove,

And let the angel of the Lord
pursue them from above.

7 For, without cause have they for me
their net hid in a pit :

They also have without a cause,
for my soul digged it.

8 Let ruine seise him unawares,
his net he hid withall

Himself let catch : and in the same
destruction let him fall.

9 My soul in God shall joy : and glad
in his salvation be.

10 And all my bones shall say, O Lord,
who is like unto thee,

Which dost the poor set free from him
that is for him too strong ;

The poor and needy from the man
that spoils and does him wrong ?

11 False witnesses rose ; to my charge
things I not knew they laid.

12 Thee to the spoiling of my soul,
me ill for good repaid.

PSALM XXXV.

- 13 But as for me, when they were sick,
in sackcloth sad I mourn'd:
my humbled soul did fast, my pray'r
into my bosom turn'd.
14 My self I did behave, as he
had been my friend, or brother:
heavily bow'd down, as one,
that mourneth for his mother.
15 But in my trouble they rejoyc'd,
gathering themselves together:
yea, abjects vile, together did
themselves against me gather:
knew it not, they did me tear,
and quiet would not be.
16 With mocking hypocrites, at feasts
they gnash their teeth at me.
17 How long, Lord, look'st thou on? from
destructions they intend, (those
rescue my soul, from lions young,
my darling do defend.
18 I will give thanks to thee, O Lord,
withinth' assembly great:
and, where much people gathered are
thy praises forth will fer.
19 Let not my wrongful enemies
proudly rejoyce o'er me:
for, who me hate without a cause,
let them wink with the eye.
20 For peace they do not speak at all:
but craftie plots prepare
against all those within the land,

that

that meek and quiet are.

21 With mouth thou shalt see, they **g**all me said.
Ha, ha, our eye doth see.

22 Lord, thou hast seen, hold not thy peace,
Lord, be not far from me.

23 Stir up thy self, wake, that thou mayst
judgement to me afford.

Ev'n to my cause, O thou that art
my only God and Lord.

24 O Lord, my God do thou me judge,
after thy righteousness.

And let them not their joy **g**all me
triumphantly expresse.

25 Nor let them say within their hearts,
ah, we would have it thus.

Nor suffer them to say, that he
is swallowed up by us.

26 Sham'd and confounded be they all
that at my hurt are glad.

Let those against me that do boast
with shame and scorn be glad.

27 Let them that love my righteous cause
be glad, shout, and not cease.

To say, the Lord be magnifi'd,
who loves his servants peace.

28 Thy righteousness shall also be
declared by my tongue.

The praises that belong to thee,
I speak shall it all day long.

PSALM XXXVI

THe wicked mans transgression,
within my heart thus says,
Undoubtedly the fear of God
is not before his eyes.

2 Because himself he flattereth
in his own blinded eye,
Until the barefollie be found
of his iniquitie.

3 Words from his mouth proceeding, are
fraud and iniquitie :

He to be wise, and to do good,
hath left off utterly.

4 He mischief, lying on his bed
most cunningly doth plot,
He sets himself in wayes not good,
ill he abhorreth not.

5 Thy mercy, Lord, is in the heaven;
thy truth doth reach the clouds.

6 Thy justice is like mountains great;
thy judgements deep as floods;
Lord thou preservest man and beast.

7 How precious is thy grace!
Therefore, in shadow of thy wings,
mens sons their trust shall place.

8 They with the farnesse of thy house
shall be well satisfi'd :
From rivers of thy pleasures, thou
wilt drink to them provide.

9 Because of life the fountaine pure
remains alone with thee :
And in that purest light of thine,

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we clearly light shall see.

1 Thy loving kindnesse unto them
continue that thee know ;
and still in men upright in heart,
thy righteousnesse bestow.

Let not the foot of cruel pride
come, and against me stand :
and let me not removed be,
Lord, by the wicked's hand.

2 There fall'n are they, and ruined,
that work iniquities :
cast down they are, and never shall
be able to arise.

PSALM XXXVII.

For evil doers fret thou not
thy self anxiously,
nor do thou envy bear to those
that work iniquity.

For ev'n like unto the grasse,
soon be cut down shall they,
and like the green and tender herb,
they wither shall away.

Set thou thy trust upon the Lord,
and be thou doing good.
And so thou in the land shalt dwell,
and verily have food.

Delight thy self in God, hee'll give
thine hearts desire to thee.

Thy way to God commit, him trust,
it bring to passe shall he.

6 And

PSALM XXXVII.

- 6 And like unto the light, he shall
thy righteousness display.
And he thy judgement shall bring forth
like noon-tide of the day.
- 7 Rest in the Lord, and patiently
wait for him : do not fret
For him, who prospering in his way
successe in sin doth get.
- 8 Do thou from anger cease, and wrath
see thou forsake also :
Fret not thy self in any wise,
that evil thou should do.
- 9 For, those that evil doers are,
shall be cut off and fall :
But those that wait upon the Lord,
the earth inherit shall.
- 10 For, yet a little while, and then
the wicked shall not be :
His place thou shalt consider well,
but it thou shalt not see.
- 11 But, by inheritance, the earth
the meek ones shall possesse ;
They also shall delight themselves
in an abundant peace.
- 12 The wicked plots against the just,
and at him whets his teeth.
- 13 The Lord shall laugh at him, because
his day he coming seeth.
- 14 The wicked have drawn out the bow
and bent their bow, to slay
The poor and needy, and to kill

PSALM XXXVII.

men of an upright way.

But their own sword which they have drawn
shall enter their own heart,
their bows which they have bent shall break
and into pieces part.

A little that a just man hath,
is more, and better far
than is the wealth of many such
as lewd and wicked are.

For sinners arms shall broken be;
but God the just sustains.

God knows the just mans dayes, and still
their heritage remains.

They shall not be ashamed, when they
the evil time do see;

and when the dayes of famine are,
they satisfi'd shall be.

But wicked men and foes of God,
as fast as lambs decay,

they shall be consumed; yea, into smoke
they shall consume away;

as the wicked borroweth, but the same
again he doth must pay;

whereas the righteous mercy shows,
and gives his own away.

For such as blessed be of him,
the earth inherit shall;

and they shall not be ashamed of him,
shall be destroyed all.

A good mans footsteps by the Lord

are

PSALM XXXVII,

are ordered aright:

And, in the way wherein he walks
he greatly doth delight.

24 Although he fall yet shall he not
be cast down utterly,

Because the Lord, with his own hand
upholds him mightily.

25 I have been young and now am old:
yet have I never seen,

The just man left, nor that his seed
for bread have beggers been.

26 He's ever merciful, and lends:
his seed is blest therefore,

27 Depart from evil, and do good:
and dwell for evermore.

28 For God loves judgement, and his face
leaves not in any case,

They are kept ever: but cut off
shall be the sinners race.

29 The just inherit shall the land
and ever in it dwell.

30 The just mans mouth doth wisdom
his tongue doth judgement tell.

31 In's heart the Law is of his God,
his steps slide not away.

32 The wicked man doth watch the just
and seeketh him to slay.

33 Yet him the Lord will not forsake,
nor leave him in his hands,

The righteous will he not condemn,

PSALM XXXVIII.

when he in judgement stands :
Wait on the Lord, and keep his way
and thee exalt shall he,
earth to inherit, when cut off
the wicked thou shalt see.

I saw the wicked great in pow'r,
spread like a green bay tree :
He past, yea, was not; him I sought,
but found he could not be.
Mark thou the perfect, and behold
the man of uprightness :
cause that surely of this man
the latter end is peace.

But those men that transgressours are,
shall be destroy'd together,
the latter end of wicked men
shall be cut off for ever.
But the salvation of the just
is from the Lord above :
in the time of their distresse,
their stay and strength doth prove.

The Lord shall help, and them deliver,
he shall them free and save
from wicked men ; because in him
their confidence they have.

PSAL. XXXVIII.

In thy great indignation,
O Lord rebuke me not :
for on me lay thy chastning hand
in thy displeasure hot.

- 2 For in me fast thine arrows stick,
thine hand doth presse me sore.
3 And in my flesh there is no health,
nor soundnesse any more.

This grief I have because thy wrath
is forth against me gone:

And in my bones there is no rest,
for sin that I have done.

- 4 Because gone up above mine head,
my great transgressions be:

And, as a weighty burden, they
too heavy are for me.

- 5 My wounds do stink, and are corrupt;
my folly makes it so:

- 6 I troubled am, and much bowed down,
all day I mourning go.

- 7 For a disease that loathsome is,
so fills my loins with pain,

That in my weak and weary flesh
no soundnesse doth remain,

- 8 So feeble and infirm am I,
and broken am so sore;

That through disquiet of my heart,
I have been made to roar.

- 9 O Lord, all that I do desire,
is still before thine eye:

And of my heart the secret groans
not hidden are from thee.

- 10 My heart doth pant incessantly,
my strength doth quite decay:

- As for mine eyes their wonted light
Is from me gone away.
- 1 My lovers and my friends do stand
at distance from my sore :
and those do stand aloof that were
kinsmen, and kind before,
- 2 Yea, they that seek my life lay snares :
who seek to do me wrong
speak things mischievous, and deceits
imagine all day long.
- 3 But, as one deaf that heareth not
I suffered all to passe :
as a dumb man did become,
whose mouth not op'ned was.
- 4 As one that hears not, in whose mouth
are no reproofs at all.
- 5 For, Lord, I hope in thee, my God,
thou'lt hear me when I call.
- 6 For I said, hear me, lest they should
rejoyce ov'r me with pride :
and ov'r me magnifie themselves,
when as my foot doeth slide.
- 7 For, I am near to halt, my grief
is still before mine eye.
- 8 For I'll declare my sin, and grief
for mine iniquity.
- 9 But yet mine enemies lively are,
and strong are they beside :
and they that hate me wrongfully,
are greatly multipli'd.
- 10 And they for good that render ill,

as enemies me withstood :
Yea, ev'n for this, because that I
do follow what is good.

21 Forsake me not, O Lord, my God
far from me never be.

22 O Lord, thou my salvation art,
haste to give help to me.

P S A L. XXXIX.

I Said, I will look to my wayes,
lest with my tongue I sin :
In sight of wicked men my mouth
with bridle I'll keep in.

2 With silence, I as dumb became,
I did my self restrain,
From speaking good; but then the more
increased was my pain.

3 My heart within me waxed hot,
and while I musing was,
The fire did burn: and from my tongue
these words I did let passe.

4 Mine end and measure of my dayes
O Lord, unto me shew
What is the same: that I thereby
my frailty well may know.

5 Lo, thou my dayes an hand-breadth make
mine age is in thine eye
As nothing, sure each man at best
is wholly vanity.

6 Sure each man walks in a vain show,
they vex themselves in vain.

PSALM XL.

happ'n up wealth, and doth not know
to whom it shall pertain.

And now, O Lord, what wait I for?

my hope is fix'd on thee,

Free me from all my trespasses,

the fools scorn make not me.

Dumb was I, opening not my mouth;

because this work was thine.

Thy stroke take from me: by the blow
of thine hand, I do pine.

When with rebukes thou dost correct
man; for iniquity,

thou wastest his beauty like a moth:

sure each man's vanity.

Attend my cry, Lord, at my tears

and prayers not silent be,

as my father's ill,

and stranger am with thee.

O spare thou me, that I my strength
recover may again,

fore from hence I do depart,

and here no more remain.

PSALM XL.

Waited for the Lord my God,

and patiently did bear;

length to me he did incline

my voice and cry to hear.

He took me from a fearful pit,

and from the myrie clay,

and on a rock he set my feet,

establishing my way.

PSALM XXXII

- 3 He put a new song in my mouth;
our God to magnify:
Many shall see it, and shall fear,
and on the Lord rely.
- 4 O blessed is the man whose trust
upon the Lord relies:
Respecting not the proud, nor such
as turn aside to lie.
- 5 O Lord my God, fall many are
the wonders thou hast done:
Thy gracious thoughts to us-ward, far
above all thoughts, are gone:
In order none can reckon them
to thee: If I wish to declare
And speak of them I would, they more
then can be numbered are.
- 6 No sacrifice, nor offering
didst thou ascribe:
Mine ears thou bor'd'st: An offering thou
and burnt, didst not require.
- 7 Then to the Lord, there were my
praise, behold and see,
Within the volume of my Book,
it written is of me:
- 8 To do thy will I take delight:
O thou my God that art
Yea that most holy Law of thine,
I have within my heart.
- 9 Within the congregation great
I righteous shall be preach'd;
Lo, thou dost know, O Lord, that I

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refrain'd not my speech.

10 I never did within my heart
conceal thy righteousness:
thy salvation have declar'd,
and shown thy faithfulness:
Thy kindness, which most loving is,
concealed have not I,
Nor from the congregation great
have hid thy verity.

11 Thy tender mercies, Lord, from me,
O do thou not restrain:
Thy loving kindness and thy truth,
let them me still maintain.

12 For ills, past reckning compass me,
and mine iniquities
such hold upon me taken have,
I cannot lift mine eyes.

They more than hairs are on mine head
thence is my heart dismaid.

13 Be pleas'd, Lord, to rescue me:
Lord, hasten to mine aid.

14 Sham'd and confounded be they all
that seek my soul to kill:

Yea, let them backward driven be,
and sham'd that with me ill.

15 For a reward of this their shame,
confounded let them be.

That in this manner scoffing say,

Aha, aha, to me.

16 In thee let all be glad, and joy:

who seeking thee abide :
Who thy salvation love, say still
the Lord be magnifi'd.

17 I'm poor and needy, yet the Lord
of me a care doth take :
Thou art my help and Saviour,
my God, no tarrying make.

P S A L M XL.

Bless'd is he that wisely doth
the poor mans case consider :
For, when the time of trouble is,
the Lord will him deliver.

2 God will him keep ; yea, save alive,
on earth he blest shall live :
And to his enemies desire,
thou wilt him not up-give.

3 God will give strength, when he on bed
of languishing doth mourn :
And in his sicknesse sore, O Lord,
thou all his bed will turn.

4 I said, O Lord, do thou extend
thy mercy unto me ;
O do thou heal my soul, for why,
I have offended thee.

5 Those that to me are enemies,
of me do evil say :
When shall he die, that so his name
may perish quite away ?

6 To see me if he comes, he speaks
vain words ; but then his heart
heaps mischief to it, which he tells,

PSALM XLII

when forth he doth depart.

My haters joyntly whispering,
'gainst me my hurt devise.

Mischief, say they, cleaves fast to him,
he lieth, and shall not rise.

Yea, ev'n mine own familiar friend,
on whom I did rely :

who ate my bread, ev'n he his heel
against me lifted hie.

O Bar, Lord, be merciful to me,
and up again me raise,

that I may justly them requite
according to their wayes.

By this I know, that certainly
I favoured am by thee :

because my hateful enemy
triumphs not over me.

O Bar as for me, thou me uphold'st
in mine integrity :

and me before thy countenance
thou seest continually.

The Lord, the God of Israel,
be blest for ever then,

from age to age eternally.
Amen, yea, and amen.

PSALM XLII.

Like as the hart for water brooks
in thirst doth pant and bray :

so pants my longing soul, O God,
that come to thee I may.

My soul for God, the living God,

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doth thirst, when shall I see
Unto thy countenance approach,
and in Gods sight appear?

3 My tears have unto me been meat,
both in the night and day,
While unto me continually,

Where is thy God, they say?

4 My soul is poured out in me,
when this I think upon;
Because that with the multitude
I heretofore had gone.

With them into Gods house I went,
with voice of joy and praise,
Yea, with the multitude, that kept
the solemn holy dayes.

5 O why art thou cast down my soul?
why in me so dismayd?

Trust God, for I shall praise him yet,
his countenance is mine aid.

6 My God, my soul's cast down in me:
thence therefore mine I will
From Jordans Land the Hermonites,
and ev'n from Mizra hill.

7 At the noise of thy water spouts,
deep unto depth doth call.

Thy breaking waves passe over me,
yea, and thy billows all.

8 His loving kindnesse yet the Lord
command will in the day,
His song's with me by night, to God,

PSALM XLII.

by whom I live, I'll pray.
 And I will say to God, my rock,
 why me forgets thou so?
 Why for my foes oppression,
 thus mourning do I go?
 It's as a sword within my bones;
 when my foes me upbraid:
 ev'n when by them, Where is thy God,
 its daily to me said?
 O why art thou cast down, my soul?
 why thus with grief oppress'd?
 art thou disquieted to me?
 in God still hope and rest:
 for yet I know I shall him praise,
 who graciously on me
 the health is of my countenance,
 yea, mine own God is his.

PSALM XLIII.

Judge me, O God, and plead my cause
 against the ungodly nation;
 from the unjust and traitor man.
 O be thou my salvation.
 For, thou the God art of my strength,
 why thrusts thou me thee fro?
 For thine enemies oppression,
 why do I mourning go;
 O lend thy light forth, and thy truth,
 let them be guides to me,
 and bring me to shine holy Hill,
 ev'n where thy dwellings be.
 Then will I to Gods altar go.

PSALM XLIV.

to God my chiefest joy :
 Yes, God my God, thy Name to praise,
 my harp I will employ.

5 Why art thou then cast down my soul?
 what should discourage thee?

And why, with vexing thoughts, art thou
 disquieted in me?

Still trust in God, for him to praise
 good cause I yet shall have;

He of my countenance, is the health,
 my God that doth me save.

PSALM XLIV.

O God, we wish our ears have heard,
 our fathers have untold;

What works thou in their dayes hadst done
 in the dayes of old;

Thy hand did drive the heaven on;
 and plant them in their place;

Thou didst afflict the nation,
 but them thou didst increase.

3 For neither got their sword the land,
 nor did their arm them save;

But thy right hand, arm, countenance,
 for thou them favour gave.

4 Thou art my King : for Jacob, Lord,
 deliverance command.

5 Through thee, we shall push down our foes
 that do against us stand;

We, through thy Name, shall tread down those
 that risen against us have.

6 For in my bow I shall not trust,

PSALM XLIV.

nor shall my sword me save :
But from our foes thou hast us sav'd,
our haters put to shame.
In God we all the day do boast,
and ever praise thy Name.

But now we are cast off by thee,
and as thou put'st us to shame :
and when our armies do go forth,
thou go'st not with the same.
Thou mak'st us from the enemy,
faint hearted, to turn back :
and they who hate us, for themselves
our spoils away do take.

Like sheep for meat thou gavest us :
among heathen cast we be.
Thou didst for nought thy people sell,
their price enrich'd not thee.
Thou mak'st us a reproach to be
unto our neighbours near ;
derision and a scorn to them
that round about us are.

A by-word also thou dost us
among the heathen make :
The people in contempt and spite,
at us their heads do shake.
Before me my confusion
continually abides ;
and, of my bashful countenance,
the shame me ever hides.

For voice of him that doth reproach,
and speaketh blasphemy :

PSALM XLV.

By reason of th'avenging foe,
and cruel enemy.

17 All this is come on us, yet we
have not forgotten thee,
Nor falsely in thy Covenant
behav'd our selves have we.

18 Back from thy way our hearts not turn
our steps no straying made:

19 Though as thou break st in dragons place
and coverest with death's shade.

20 If we Gods Name forgot, or stretch
to a strange god our hands:

21 Shall not God search this out? for he
hearts secrets understands.

22 Yea, for thy sake, we're kill'd all day,
counted as slaughter sheep.

23 Rise, Lord, cast us not ever off
awake, why dost thou sleep?

24 O wherefore hidest thou thy face?
forgetst our case distress,

25 And our oppression? For our soul
is to the dust down prest;

Our belly also on the earth,
fast cleaving hold doth take.

26 Rise for our help, and us redeem,
even for thy mercies sake.

PSALM XLV.

MY heart brings forth a goodly thing,
my works that I indite
Concern the King; my tongue's a pen,
of one that swift doth write.

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Thou fairer art then sons of men;
into thy lips is store
Of grace infold'd: God therefore thee
hast blest for evermore.

O thou that art the mighty One,
thy sword gird on thy thigh;
It's with thy glory excellent,
and with thy Majestic;
For meeknesse, truth and righteousness,
in state and prosperitie;
And thy right hand shall once instruct,
in things thee fearful be.

Thine arrows sharply pierce the hearts
of th' enemies of the King;
And under thy subjection
the people down do bring.

For ever and for ever is,
O God, thy throne of might;
The scepter of thy Kingdom is
a scepter that is right.

Thou lovest right and hatest ill;
for God, thy God most hie
Above thy fellows hath, with th'oyle
of joy anointed thee.

Of aloes, myrrhe, and cassia,
a smell they garments had;
Out of thy ivory palaces,
whereby they made thee glad.

Among thy women honourable,
Kings daughters were at hand;
Upon thy right hand did the queen,

- in gold of Ophir stand,
10 O daughter, hearken and regard,
and do thine ear incline?
Likewise forget thy fathers house,
and people that are thine.
11 Then of the King desire shall be
thy beauty vehemently;
Because he is thy Lord, do thou
him worship reverently.
12 The daughter there of Tyre shall be
with gifts and offerings great,
Those of the people that are rich,
thy favour shall increase.
13 Behold the daughter of the King,
all glorious is within;
And, with embroyderies of gold,
her garments wrought have been.
14 She shall be brought unto the King,
in robes with needle wrought;
Her fellow virgins following,
shall unto thee be brought.
15 They shall be brought with gladness great
and mirth on every side,
into the palace of the King,
and there they shall abide.
16 In stead of those thy fathers dear,
thy children thou mayest take,
And in all places of the earth,
them noble Princes make.
17 Thy Name remembered I will make,
through

PSALM XLV

through ages all to thee; *all righte-
ous* people therefore evermore
shall praises give to thee.

Another of the same.

MY heart enditing is
good matter in a song:
I speak the things that I have made,
which to the King belong:
My tongue shall be as quick,
his honour to indite,
as is the pen of any scribe
that doeth left to write.

Thou'rt fairest of all men,
grace in thy lips doth flow
and therefore blessings evermore
on thee doth God bestow.

Thy sword gird on thy thigh,
thou that art most of might;
appear in dreadful Majesty,
and in thy glory bright.

For meeknesse, truth and right,
ride prosperously in state;
and thy right hand shall reach to thee
things terrible and great.

Thy shafts shall pierce their hearts
that foes are to the King;
whereby into subjection
the people thou shalt bring.

Thy royal seat, O Lord,
for ever shall remain;
the scepter of thy Kingdom doth

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- all righteousness maintain;
7 Thou lovest right, and hatest ill;
for God, thy God most high
Above thy fellows hath with th'oyl
of joy anointed thee.
8 Of mirrhe and spices sweet
a smell thy garments had:
Out of thy ivory palace,
whereby they make thee glad.
9 And in thy glorious train,
Kings daughters waiting stand;
And thy fair queen, in Ophir gold,
doth stand at thy right hand.
10 O daughter take good heed,
incline, and give good ear;
Thou must forget thy kindred all,
and fathers house most dear.
11 The beauty to the King,
shall then delightful be
And, do thou humbly worship him
because the Lord is he.
12 The daughter then of Tyre
there with a gift shall be,
And all the wealthy of the land
shall make their suite to thee.
13 The daughter of the King
all glorious is within
And, with embroyderies of gold,
her garments wrought have been:
14 She cometh to the King
in robes with needle wrought:

PSA LXXXIV

The virgin that do follow her
shall unto thee be brought.
5 They shall be brought with joy,
and mirth on every side,
unto the palace of the King,
and there they shall abide.

6 And in thy fathers stead,
thy children thou may'st take,
and to all places of the earth,
them noble Princes make.

7 I will shew forth thy Name
to generations all:
Therefore thy people evermore
to thee give praises shall.

PSA LXXXVI

God is our refuge, and our strength,
in straits a present aid.

2 Therefore although the earth remove
we will not be afraid;

Though hills amidst the Sea be cast,

3 Though waters roaring make,
And troubled be; yes, though the hills
by swelling seas do shake.

4 A river is, whose streams do glad
the city of our God:

The holy place wherein the Lord
most high hath his abode.

5 God in the midst of her doth dwell,
nothing shall her remove;

The Lord to her in helper will
and that right early prove.

PSALM XLVI

6 The heathen rag'd tumultuously,
the kingdoms moved were:

The Lord God uttered his voice,
the earth did melt for fear.

7 The Lord of Hosts upon our side
doth constantly remain;

The God of Jacob's our refuge,
us safely to maintain.

8 Come, and behold, what wondrous works
have by the Lord been wrought:

Come, see what desolations
he on the earth hath brought.

9 Unto the ends of all the earth
wars into peace he turns;

The bow he breaks, the spear he cuts,
in fire the chariot burns.

10 Be still, and know that I am God,
among the heathen I

Will be exalted, I on earth
will be exalted high.

11 Our God, who is the Lord of hosts,
is still upon our side;

The God of Jacob our refuge
for ever will abide.

PSALM XLVII

ALL people clap your hands, to God
with voice of triumph shout.

2 For dreadful is the Lord most high,
great King, the earth throughout.

3 The heathen people under us
He surely shall subdue:

PSALM XLVIII.

He shall make the nations
under our feet to bow.

The lot of our inheritance
choose out for us shall he,
Jacob whom he loved well,
ev'n the excellency.

God is with shouts gone up, the Lord
with trumpets sounding his;
sing praise to God, sing praise, sing praise,
praise to our King sing ye.

For God is King of all the earth,
with knowledge praise expresse:
God rules the nations, God sits on
his throne of holynesse,
The princes of the people are
assembled willingly,

of the God of Abraham
they who the people be,

why, the fields that do defend
the earth are only his:
ye to the Lord belong, yes He
exalted greatly is.

PSALM XLVIII.

Great is the Lord, and greatly He
is to be praised still,
within the City of our God,
upon his holy hill:
Mount Sion stands most beautiful,
the joy of all the land:
the City of the mighty King
on her north side doth stand,

PSALM XLV

- 3 The Lord, within her palaces, shall be
is for a refuge known:
- 4 For lo, the Kings that gathered were
together by have gone.
- 5 But when they did behold the same;
they wondring, would not stay:
But, being troubled at the sight,
they thence did hast away.
- 6 Great terror there took hold on them
they were possess'd with fear,
Their grief came like a womans pain,
when she a child doth bear,
- 7 Thon Tarrish ships with east wind bro
8 As we have heard it told:
So in the City of the Lord
our eyes did it behold.
- In our Gods City which his hand
for ever stablish will.
- 9 We of thy loving kindnesse thought,
Lord, in thy temple still.
- 10 O Lord, according to thy Name,
through all the earth's thy praise:
And thy right hand, O Lord, is full
of righteousness alwayes.
- 11 Because thy judgements are made known
let Zion mount rejoyce;
Of Judah let the daughters all
send forth a cheerful voice.
- 12 Walk about Zion, and go round,
the high towers thereof tell,
- 13 Consider ye her palaces,

PSALM XLIX.

and mark her bulwarks well;

that ye may tell posterity.

14 For this God doth abide

God for evermore, He will

be unto death us guide.

PSALM XLIX.

1 Hear this all people, and give ear

all in the world that dwell.

Both low and high, both rich and poor.

3 My mouth shall wisdom tell

my heart shall knowledge meditate,

4 I will incline mine ear

to parables; and on the harp

my sayings dark declare.

Amidst those dayes that evil be;

why should I, fearing, doubt?

When of my heels th'iniquity

shall compass me about.

Who e're they be that in their wealth

their confidence do pinch,

and boast themselves; because they are

become exceeding rich.

Yet none of these his brother can

redeem by any way,

nor can he unto God, for him

insufficient ranfome pay;

(Their souls redemption precious is

and it can never be)

That still he should for ever live,

and not corruption see.

For why? he seeth that wise men die,

and

PSALM XLIX

and brutish fools also
Do perish, and their wealth, when dead,
to others they let go.

11 Their inward thought is, that their houses
and dwelling places, shall
Stand through all ages; they their lands
by their own names do call.

12 But yet in honour shall not man
abide continually;
But passing hence, may be compar'd
unto the beasts that dy.

13 Thus, brutish folly plainly is
their wisdom, and their way;
Yet their posterity approve
what they do fondly say.

14 Like sheep, they in the grave are laid
and death shall them devour;
And in the morning, upright men
shall over them have pow'r:
Their beauty from their dwelling shall
consume within the grave.

15 But, from hells hand God will me free
for he shall me receive.

16 Be thou not then afraid, when one
enriched thou dost see.
Nor when the glory of his house
advanced is on hie.

17 For he shall carry nothing hence,
when death his dayes doth end;
Nor shall his glory after him,
into the grave descend.

18 Althou

PSALM L

Although he his own soul did blesse
whilst he on earth did live,
and when thou to thy self dost well,
men will thee praises give)
He to his fathers race shall go,
they never shall see light.
Man honour'd, wanting knowledge, is
like beasts that perish quite.

PSALM L

He mighty God, the Lord
hath spoken and did call
the earth, from rising of the sun,
to where he hath his fall.
From out of Sion hill,
which, of excellency
and beauty the perfection is,
God shined gloriously.

Our God shall surely come,
keep silence shall not he;
before him fire shall waste, great storms
shall round about him be,
unto the heavens clear,
he from above shall call,
and to the earth likewise, that he
may iudge his people all.

Together let my saints
unto me gathered be,
those that by sacrifice have made
a covenant with me.
And then the heavens shall
his righteousness declare :

Because

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Because the Lord himself is he,
by whom men judged are.

7 My people Israel hear,
I speak will I from on high,
Against thee, I will testify,
God, ev'n thy God am I.

8 I, for thy sacrifice
no blame will on thee lay,
Nor for burnt offerings, which to me
thou offered'st every day.

9 I'll take no calf, nor goats,
from house or fold of thine;

10 For beasts of forests, cattle all
one thousand hills are mine.

11 The fowls on mountains high
are all to me well known,
Wilde beasts, which in the fields do ly
ev'n they are all mine own.

12 Then if I hungry were,
I would not tell it thee;
Because the world, and fulness all
thereof belongs to me.

13 Will I eat flesh of bulls?
or goats blood drink will I?

14 Thanks offer thou to God, and pay
thy vows to the most high;

15 And call upon me when
in trouble thou shalt be,
I will deliver thee, and thou
my Name shalt glorifie.

16 But to the wicked man

God saith, my law and truth
shall it thou declare? how dost thou like
my covenant in thy mouth?
7 Sith thou instruction harest,
which should thy wayes direct:
and, sith my words behind thy back
thou castst, and dost reject:
8 When thou a thief didst see,
with him thou wast content:
9 with the vile adulterers
partaker on thou went.
10 Thou gav'st thy mouth to ill,
thy tongue deceit doth frame;
11 Thou hast despis'd thy brother's speak,
thy mother's son dost blame.
12 Because silence kept,
while thou these things hast wrought:
13 That I was altogether like
thy self, hath been thy thought:
14 Yet I will thee reprove,
and set before thine eyes
in order ranked thy misdoings,
and thine iniquities.
15 Now, ye that God forget
this carefully consider:
16 Let I in pieces tear you all,
and none can you deliver.
17 Who so doth offer praise,
me glorifies, and I
will shew him Gods salvation,
that orders right his way.

Another

Another of the same.

THe mighty God the Lord hath spoke
and call'd the earth upon,
Ev'n from the rising of the Sun,
unto his going down.

2 From out of Zion, his own hill,
where the perfection his
Of beauty is, from thence the Lord
hath shined gloriously.

3 Our God shall come, and shall no more
be silent, but speak out.

Before him fire shall waste, great storms
shall compass him about.

4 He, to the Heavens from above,
and to the earth below.

Shall call, that he his judgement may
before his people show.

5 Let all my saints together be
unto me gathered,

Those, that by sacrifice, with me
a covenant have made.

6 And then the Heavens shall declare
his righteousness abroad.

Because the Lord himself doth come,
none else is judge but God.

7 Hear, O my people, and I'll speak;
O Israel by name.

Against thee I will testify,
God ev'n thy God I am.

8 I for thy sacrifices sew,
reprove thee never will;

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for burnt offerings to have been
before me offered still.

I'll take no bullock, nor hee goats
from house nor folds of thine:
For, beasts of forrests, cattel all
on thousand hills, are mine.
The fowls are all to me well known,
that mountains high do yeeld,
I do challenge as mine own
the wilde beasts of the field.

If I were hungry, I would not
to thee for need complain;
earth, and all its fulnesse, doth
to me of right pertain.

That I, to eat the flesh of bulls
take pleasure, dost thou think?
that I need to quench my thirst
the blood of goats to drink?

Nay, rather unto me, thy God,
thanksgiving offer thou,
the most high perform thy word,
and fully pay thy vow.

And, in the day of trouble great,
see that thou call on me;
I'll deliver thee, and thou
my Name shalt glorifie.

But, God unto the wicked saith,
Why should thou mention make
my commands? how dar'st thou in
thy mouth my covenant take?
Sith it is so, that thou dost hate

PSALM LII

all good instruction.

And ſich thou caſts behinde thy back,
and ſlights my words each one.

18 When thou a thief didſt ſee, then ſaieſt thou
thou joye'd with him in ſin;

And with the vile adulterers,
thou haſt partaker been.

19 Thy mouth to evil thou doſt give,
thy tongue deceit doth frame;

20 Thou ſiſt, and gaineſt thy brother ſpoil,
thy mothers ſon to ſhame.

21 Theſe things thou wickedly haſt done,
and I have ſilent been;

Thou thoughteſt that I was like thy ſelf,
and did approve thy ſin;

But I will ſharply thee reprove,
and I will order right;

Thy ſin and thy transgreſſions
in preſence of thy fight.

22 Conſider this, and be afraid,
ye that forget the Lord,

Leſt I in pieces tear you all,
when none can help afford.

23 Who offereth praiſe, me glorifies:
I will ſhew Gods ſalvation

To him that ordereth aright
his life, and converſation.

PSAL. LII

After thy loving kindneſſe, Lord,
have mercy upon me:

For thy compaſſions great, blot out
all mine iniquity.

PSALM LII.

We cleanse from sin, and thoroughly with
from mine iniquity:

For, my transgressions I confesse,
my sin I ever see.

Gainst thee, thee only, have I sin'd,

in thy sight done this ill, yet thou art true O Lord

when thou speakest thou may be just,
and clear in judging still.

Behold, I in iniquity

was form'd the womb within;

my mother also me conceiv'd

in guiltiness and sin.

Behold, thou in the inward parts,

with truth delighted art;

and wisdom thou shalt make me know

within the hidden part.

Do thou with hyssop sprinkle me,

I shall be cleansed so;

yea, wash thou me, and then I shall

be whiter then the snow.

Of gladness, and of joyfulness

make me to hear the voice;

that so, these very bones which thou

hast broken, may rejoyce.

All mine iniquities blot out,

thy face hide from my sin.

O Create a clean heart: Lord, renew

a right spirit in me within.

Cast me not from thy sight, nor take

thy holy spirit away:

Restore me thy salvation's joy;

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with thy free sp'rit me stay.

13 Then will I reach thy wayes unto
those that transgressours be ;

And those that finners are, shall then
be turned unto thee.

14 O God of my salvation, God, gill
me from blood guiltinesse

Serfes: then shall my tongue aloud
sing of thy righteousness.

15 My closed lips, O Lord, by thee
let them be opened ;

Then shall thy praises by my mouth
abroad be published.

16 For thou desist not sacrifice,
else would I give it thee ;

Not wilt thou with burnt offering
or all delighted be.

17 A broken spirit is to God

a pleasing sacrifice :

A broken, and a contrite heart,

Lord, thou wilt not despise.

18 Shew kindness and do good, O Lord,
to Sion thine own hill ;

The walls of thy Jerusalem
build up of thy good will.

19 Then righteous offerings shall thee please
and offerings burnt which they,

With whole burnt offerings and with oil
shall on thine altar lay.

P S A L M LII.

Why dost thou boast, O mighty man,
of mischief and of ill ?

PSALM LII.

the goodnesse of Almighty God
endureth ever still.

Thy tongue mischievous calumpnies
deviseth subtilly,
As to a razor sharp, to cut,
working deceitfully.

Ill more then good, and more then truth,
thou lovest to speak wrong :

Thou lovest all devouring words,
O thou deceitful tongue.

So God shall thee destroy for ay,
remove thee, pluck thee out

from thy house, out of the land
of life he shall thee root.

The righteous shall see, and fear
and laugh at him they shall :

Lo, this the man is, that did not
make God his strength as all

as he, in his abundant wealth,
his confidence did place :

And he took strength unto himself
from his own wickednesse.

But I am in the house of God

like to an olive tree :

My confidence for ever hath

upon Gods mercy been.

And I for ever will thee praise,

because thou hast done this :

In thy Name will I wait for good

before thy face is in.

PSALM LIII.

THat there is not a God, the fool
doth in his heart conclude :

They are corrupt, their works are vile,
not one of them doth good.

2 The Lord upon the sons of men
from heav'n did cast his eyes,

To see if any one there was
that sought God, and was wise.

3 They altogether filthy are,
they all are backward gone ;

And there is none that doeth good,
no nor so much as one.

4 These workers of iniquity
do they not know at all,

That they may people eat as bread,
and on God do not call.

5 Ev'n there they were afraid and stood
with trembling all dismay'd,

Whereas there was no cause at all,
why they should be afraid.

For God his bores that thee believ'd
hath scattered all abroad ;

Thou hast confounded them, for they
despised are of God.

6 Let Israels help from Zion come
when back the Lord shall bring

His captives. Jacob shall rejoyce,
and Israel shall sing.

PSALM LIV.

SAve me, O God, by thy great Name,
and judge me by thy strength :

PSALM LV.

My prayer hear, O God; give ear
unto my words at length.
For they that strangers are to me
do up against me rise;
oppressours seek my soul, and God
set not before their eyes.

The Lord my God my helper is,
lo; therefore I am bold,
he taketh part with every one
that doth my soul uphold.
Unto mine enemies he shall
mischief and ill repay.
for thy truths sake cut them off,
and sweep them clean away.

I will a sacrifice to thee
give with free willingness
thy Name, O Lord, because it's good,
with praise I will confesse.
For he hath me delivered
from all adversities:
and his desire mine eye hath seen
upon mine enemies.

PSALM LV.

Lord, hear my pray'r, hide not thy self
from my intreating voice;
Attend and hear me, in my plaint
I mourn and make a noise
Because of th' enemies voice, and for
lewd mens oppression great;
As me they cast iniquity,
and they in wrath me hate.

PSALM LV.

- 4 Sore pain'd within me is my heart,
deaths terrors on me fall ;
5 On me comes trembling, fear and dread,
o'whelmed me withall.
6 O that I like a dove had wings,
said I, then would I flee
Far hence, that I might find a place,
where I in rest might be.
7 Lo, then far off I wander would
and in the desert stay :
8 From windy storm and tempest I
would haste to scape away.
9 O Lord on them destruction bring,
and do their tongues divide :
For in the city violence
and strife I have espide.
10 They day and night upon the walls
do go about it round
There mischief is, and sorrow there
in midst of it is found.
11 Abundant wickedness there is
within her inward part ;
And from her streets deceitfulness
and guile do not depart.
12 He was no foe that me reproach'd
then that endure I could,
Nor hater that did 'gainst me boast :
from him me hide I would,
13 But thou man, who mine equal guide
and mine acquaintance wast.

PSALM LV.

4 We joynd sweet counsell, to Gods house
in company we past.

5 Let death upon them fesse, and down
let them go quick to hell;
for wickednesse doth much abound
among them where they dwell.

6 I'll call on God, God will me save,
17 I'll pray and make a noise
evening, morning, and at noon;
and he shall hear my voice.

8 He hath my soul delivered,
that it in peace might be;
from battell that against me was,
for many were with me.

9 The Lord shall hear, and them afflict,
of old who hath abode;
because they never changes have,
therefore they fear not God.

10 Against those that were at peace with him
he hath put forth his hand:
the covenant that he had made,
by breaking he prophand.

11 More smooth then butter were his words,
while in his heart was war:
his speeches were more soft then oyl,
and yet drawn swords they are.

12 Cast thou thy burden on the Lord,
and he shall thee sustain;
yea, he shall cause the righteous man
removed to remain.

13 But thou, O Lord, my God, those men

PSALM LVB

in justice shalt o'rethrow,
And in destructions dungeon dark
at last shalt lay them low.
The bloody and deceitful men
shall not live half their dayes:
But upon thee with confidence
I will depend alwayes.

PSALM LVI.

SHow mercy, Lord, to me: for man
would swallow me onright:
He me oppresseth, while he doth
against me daily fight.
2 They daily would me swallow up,
that hate me spitefully:
For they be many that do fight
against me, O most hy.
3 When I'm afraid, I'll trust in thee:
4 In God I'll praise his word,
I will not fear what flesh can do;
my trust is in the Lord.
5 Each day they wrest my words, their thought
'gainst me are all for ill;
6 They meer, they lork, they mark my step
waiting my soul to kill.
7 But shall they by iniquity
escape thy judgement so?
O God, with indignation, down
do thou the people throw.
8 My wandrings all what they have been,
thou know'st, their number took.
Into thy booke put my tears,
are they not in thy booke?

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My foes
I know
In God
in God
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P. S A L M L V I I

My foes shall, when I cry, turn back,
I know't: God is for me:
In God his word I'll praise, his word,
in God shall praised be.
In God I trust, I will not fear
what man can do to me:
Thy vows upon me are, O God:
I'll render praise to thee.

Wilt thou not, who from death me sav'd,
my feet from falls keep free,
walk before God in the light
of those that living be.

P. S A L M L V I I

O merciful to me, O God,
thy mercy unto me,
do thou extend, because my soul
doth put her trust in thee.
In the shadow of thy wings
my refuge I will place,
till these sad calamities
do wholly overpasse.

My cry I will cause to ascend
unto the Lord most high,
To God; who doth all things for me
perform most perfectly.
From heav'n he shall send down, and me
from his reproach defend,
That would devour me: God his truth
and mercy forth shall send.

My soul among fierce flames is,
I fire brands live among,

Mens

PSALM LVIII.

Mens sons, whose teeth are spears and
a sharp sword is their tongue.

5 Be thou exalted very high
above the heavens, O God ;

Let thou thy glory be advanc'd
o're all the earth abroad.

6 My soul's bow'd down, for they a net
have laid, my steps to snare ;
Into the pit, which they have dig'd
for me, they fallen are.

7 My heart is fixt, my heart is fixt,
O God, I'll sing, and praise.

8 My glory wake, wake psalter, harp ;
my self I'll early raise.

9 I'll praise thee 'mong the people, Lord,
'mong nations sing will I ;

10 For great to heav'n thy mercy is ;
thy truth is to the sky.

11 O Lord, exalted be thy Name,
above the heav'ns to stand :

Do thou thy glory far advance
above both sea and land.

PSALM LVIII.

DO ye, O congregation,
indeed speak righteousness ?

O ye that are the sons of men ;
judge ye with uprightness ?

Yea, ev'n within your very hearts
ye wickedness have done ;

And ye the violence of your hands
do weigh the earth upon.

PSALM LVIII.

The wicked men estranged are
cut from the very womb;
They speaking lies do stray, as soon
as to the world they come.
Unto a serpents poyson like
their poyson doth appear;
Yea, they are like the adder deaf,
that closely stops her ear.
That so she may not hear the voice
of one that charm her would;
No, not though he most cunning were,
and charm most wisely could.
Their teeth, O God, within their mouth
break (thou in pieces shall;
The great teeth break thou out, O Lord,
of these young lions all.
Let them like waters melt away,
which downward still do flow:
He cut his arrows all,
when he shall bend his bow,
Like to a snail that melts away,
let each of them be gone:
Like womans birth untimely, that
they never see the sun.
He shall them take away, before
your pots the thorns can fade,
both living, and in fury great;
as with a stormy wind.
The righteous when he vengeance sees,
he shall be joyful then:
The righteous one shall wash his feet,
in blood of wicked men.

PSALM LIX

11 So men shall say, the righteous man
reward shall never miss;

And verily upon the earth
a God to judge there is.

PSALM LIX.

MY God deliver me from those
that are mine enemies:

And do thou me defend from those
that up against me rise.

2 Do thou deliver me from them
that work inquiry;

And give me safety from the men
of bloody cruelty.

3 For lo, they for my soul lay wait;
the mighty do combine

Against me, Lord, not for my fault,
nor any sin of mine.

4 They run, and without fault in me
themselves do ready make:

Awake to meet me with thy help,
and do thou notice take.

5 Awake therefore, Lord God of hosts,
thou God of Israel,

To visit heathen all: spare none
that wickedly rebel,

6 At ev'ning they go too and fro;
they make great noise and sound

Like to a dog, and often walk
about the city round.

7 Behold they belch out with their mouth
and in their lips are swords:

PSALM LIX

For they do say thus, who is he
that now doth hear our words?
But thou, O Lord, shalt laugh at them,
and all the heathen mock.
While he's in power I'll waite on thee:
for God is my high rock.

O He of my mercy that is God,
betimes shall me prevent:
Upon mine enemies, God shall let
me see mine hearts content.

1 Them slay not, lest my folk forget,
but scatter them abroad
by thy strong power; and bring them down,
O thou our shield, and God.

2 For their mouths sin, and for the words
that from their lips do fly.

Let them be taken in their pride,
because they curse and lye.

3 In wrath consume them, them consume
that so they may not be.

And that to Jacob God doth rule
to th'earths end let them see.

4 At evening let thou them return
making great noise, and sound

like to a dog, and often walk
about the city round.

5 And let them wander up and down
in seeking food to eat;

And let them grudge when they shall not
be satisfied with meat.

6 But of thy power I'll sing aloud
at

PSALM LXX

at morn thy mercy praise,
For thou to me my refuge wast,
and tow'r in troublous dayes.
27 O God, that art my strength, I will
sing praises unto thee;
For God is my defence, a God
of mercy unto me.

PSALM LXX

O Lord, thou hast rejected us,
and scattered us abroad,
Thou justly hast displeased been,
return to us, O God.
2 The earth to tremble thou hast made,
therein didst breaches make:
Do thou thereof the breaches heal,
because the land doth shake.

3 Hark thy people, thou hard things
hast shew'd, and on them sent:
And thou hast caused us to drink
wine of astonishment.
4 And yet a banner, thou hast given
to them who thee do fear:
That it by them, because of truth
displayed may appear.

5 That thy beloved people may
delivered be from thrall;
Save with the pow'r of thy right hand,
and hear me when I call.
6 God in his holinesse hath spoke,
herein I will take pleasure:
Shechem I will divide, and forth

PSALM LXI.

will Succoths valey measure.

Gilead I claim as mine, by right,

Manasseh mine shall be,

Reuben is of mine head the strength,

Judah gives laws for me.

Moab's my washing pot, my shoe

I'll over Edom throw :

Over Palestina's land

I will in triumph go.

O who is he will bring me to
the city fortifi'd ?

Who is he that to the land
of Edom will me guide ?

O God, which hadest us cast off,
this thing wilt thou not do ?

Thou, O God, which didest not
forth with our armies go.

Help us from trouble, for the help
is vain which man supplies.

Through God we'll do great acts; he shall
tread down our enemies.

PSALM LXI.

God give ear unto my cry,

unto my pray'r attend.

From th'utmost corner of the land

my cry to thee I'll send.

That time my heart is overwhelm'd,

and in perplexity ;

Thou me lead unto the Rock

that higher is than I.

For thou hast for my refuge been

a shelter

PSALM LXII.

a shelter by thy pow'r,
And, for defence against my foes,
thou hast been a strong tow'r.

4 Within thy tabernacle I
for ever will abide.

And under covert of thy wings
with confidence me hide.

5 For thou the vows that I did make,
O Lord my God hast heard:

Thou hast given me the heritage
of those thy Name that fear:

6 A life prolong'd for many dayes
thou to the King shalt give:

Like many generations he
the years which he shall live.

7 He in Gods presence, his abode
for evermore shall have:

O do thou truth and mercy both
prepare that may him save.

8 And so will I perpetually
sing praise unto thy Name.

That, having made my vows, I may
each day perform the same.

PSALM LXII.

MY soul with expectation
depends on God indeed;

My strength and my salvation both
from him alone proceed.

2 He only my salvation is,
and my strong rock is he,

He only is my sure defence:

PSALM LXXX

How long will ye against a man
plot mischief? ye shall all be
slain, ye as a tottering fence I will, ye
shall be, and bowing wall
They only plot to cast him down
from his excellency;
they joy in lies, with mouth they bless,
but they curse inwardly.

My soul wait thou with patience
upon thy God alone:

On him dependeth all my hope
and expectation.

He only my salvation is,
and my strong rock is He;

only is my sure defence:
I shall not moved be.

In God my glory placed is,
and my salvation sure:

God the rock is of my strength,
my refuge most secure.

Ye people place your confidence
in him continually;

before him pour ye out your hearts:
God is our refuge true.

Surely mean men are vanity,
and great men are a ly;

balance laid, they wholly are
more light then vanity.

Trust ye not in oppression,
in robbery be not vain:

On

PSALM LXIII.

On wealth set not your hearts, when
increased is your gain.

11 God hath it spoken once to me,
yea, this I heard again,
That power to Almighty God
alone doth appertain.

12 Yea, mercy also unto thee
belongs, O Lord, alone ;
For thou according to his work
rewardest every one.

PSALM LXIII.

Lord, thee my God, I'll early seek,
my soul doth thirst for thee,
My flesh longs in a dry parcht land,
wherein no waters be.

2 That I thy power may behold
and brightnesse of thy face,
As I have seen thee heretofore,
within thy holy place.

3 Since better is thy love than life,
my lips thee praise shall give.

4 I in thy Name will lift my hands,
and bleesse thee while I live.

5 Ev'n as with marrow and with fat,
my soul shall filled be ;

Then shall my mouth, with joyful lips
sing praises unto thee.

6 When I do thee upon my bed
remember with delight,

And when on thee I meditate
in watches of the night.

PSALM LXXV

In shadow of thy wings I'll joy,
for thou mine help hast been.

My soul thee follows hard, and me
thy right hand doth sustain.

Who seek my soul to spill shall sink,
down to earths lowest room:

They by the sword shall be cut off,
and foxes prey become.

Yet shall the King in God rejoyce,
and each one glory shall

swear by him; but fools shall be
the mouth of liars all.

PSALM LXXV.

When I to thee my prayer make,
Lord, to my voice give ear;

life save from the enemy
of whom I stand in fear.

Me from their secret counsel hide
who do live wickedly;

on insurrection of those men
that work iniquity.

Who do their tongues with malice whet
and make them cut like swords;

whose bent bows are arrows set,
even sharp and bitter words:

That they may at the perfect man
in secret aim their shot;

suddenly they dare at him
to shoot and fear it not.

Still encourage they themselves,
and their snares close to lay:

Together

PSALM LXXV.

Together conference they have,
Who shall shew us they say.

6 They have searcht out iniquity,
A perfect search they keep:

Of each of them the inward thought,
And very heart is deep.

7 God shall smite them sooner or later,
And wound them suddenly.

8 So their own tongue shall them confound,
All who them see shall flee.

9 And on all men, fear shall fall;
Gods works they shall declare:

For they shall wisely notice take,
What these his doings are.

10 In God the righteous shall rejoyce,
And trust upon his might:

Yea, they shall greatly glory all,
In heart that are brought.

PSALM LXXV.

Praise waits for thee in Sion, Lord,
To thee vows paid shall be.

2 O thou that hearest art of pray'r,
All flesh shall come to thee.

3 Iniquities I must confesse,
Prevail against me do.

But as for our transgressions,
Them purge away thou do.

4 Blest is the man whom thou dost chuse,
And mak'st approach to thee:

That he within thy courts, O Lord,
May still a dweller be.

PSALM LXV.

Surely shall be satisfied
 with thy abundant grace,
 and with the goodness of thy house,
 ev'n of thy holy place.
 O God of our salvation,
 shew in thy righteousness
 fearful works unto our prayers
 thine answer dost expresse:
 therefore the ends of all the earth;
 and these afar that be,
 upon the Sea, their confidence,
 O Lord will place in thee.
 Who, being girt with power, sit fast
 by his great strength the billows stay;
 Whose noise of seas, noise of their waves,
 and peoples rumble stills.
 Those in the utmost parts that dwell
 are at thy signs afraid;
 th'outgoings of the morn and even
 by thee are joyful made.
 The earth thou visit'st, watering it,
 thou mak'st it rich to grow
 with Gods full flood, thou corn prepar'st,
 when thou provid'st it so.
 Her ridges thou waterest plentifully,
 her furrows sett'st;
 With showres thou dost her mollifie,
 her spring by thee is blest.
 So thou the year most liberally
 dost with thy goodnesse crown;
 And all thy paths abundantly,

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on us drop fatnelle down.

12 They drop upon the pastures wide,
that do in desarts ly :

The little hills on every side
rejoyce right pleasantly.

13 With flocks the pastures cloathed be
the vales with corn are clad ;

And now they shout and sing to thee,
for thou hast made them glad.

P S A L. L X V I.

ALL lands to God in joyfoll sounds
aloft your voices raise :

2 Sing forth the honour of his Name,
and glorious make his praise.

3 Say unto God, how terrible
in all thy works art thou ?

Through thy great pow'r thy foes to
shall be constrain'd to bow.

4 All on the earth shall worship thee,
they shall thy praise proclaim :

In songs they shall sing chearfully
unto thy holy Name.

5 Come, and the works that God hath wrought
with admiration see :

In his workings to the sons of men
most terrible is he.

6 Into dry land the sea he turn'd,
and they a passage had :

Ev'n marching through the flood on flood
there we in him were glad,

7 He ruleth ever by his power,

PSALM LXVI.

His eyes the nations see,
Not the rebellious ones
Lift up themselves on him.

The people bless our God ; aloud
The voice speak of his praise :
Our soul in life who safe preserves,
Our foot from sliding staves.
For thou didst prove and try us, Lord,
As men do silver try ;
Brought'st us into the net, and mad'st
Hands on our loins to ly.

Thou hast caus'd men ride o'er our heads,
And though that we did passe
Through fire and water, yet thou brought'st
Us to a wealthy place.

I'll bring burnt offerings to thy house,
And thee my vows I'll pay,
Which my lips utter'd, my mouth spake
When trouble on me lay,

Burnt sacrifices of fat rams,
With incense I will bring :
Bullocks and of goats I will
Present an offering.

All that fear God, come hear, I'll tell
What he did for my soul.

I with my mouth unto him cry'd,
My tongue did him extol.

If in my heart I sin regard,
The Lord me will not hear.
But surely God me heard, and to

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PSALM LXVII

my prayers voice gave ear.

20 O let the Lord, our gracious God,
for ever blessed be :

Who turned not my pray'r from him,
nor yet his grace from me.

PSALM LXVII.

Lord, blesse and pity us,
shine on us with thy face :

2 That th'earth thy way and nations all
may know thy saving grace.

3 Let people praise thee, Lord,
let people all thee praise,

4 O let the nations be glad,
in songs their voices raise :

Thou'lt iustly people judge,
on earth rule nations all.

5 Let people praise thee, Lord, let them
praise thee both great and small.

6 The earth her fruit shall yeild,
our God shall blessing send,

7 God shall us blesse, men shall him fear,
unto earths utmost end,

Another of the same.

Lord, unto us be merciful,
do thou us also blesse :

And graciously cause shine on us
the brightnesse of his face.

2 That so thy way upon the earth
to all men may be known :

Also among the nations all
thy saving health be shown.

PSALM LXVII

O let the people praise thee, Lord;
let people all thee praise.

O let the nations be glad,
and sing for joy alwayes:

for rightly thou shalt people judge,
and nations rule on earth.

Let people praise thee, Lord, let all
the folk praise thee with mirth.

Then shall the earth yeeld her increase,
God, our God, blesse us shall.

God shall us blesse, and of the earth
the ends shall fear him all.

PSALM LXVIII

Et God arise, and scattered
let all his enemies be;

and let all those that do him hate
before his presence flee.

As smoke is driven, so drive thou them:
as fire melts wax away,

before Gods face let wicked men
so perish and decay.

But let the righteous be glad,
let them before Gods fight

every joyful, yea let them
rejoyce with all their might.

To God sing, to his Name sing praise;
extol him with your voice

that rides on heav'n, by his Name J A H,
before his face rejoyce.

Because the Lord a Father is
unto the fatherlesse:

PSALM LXVIII.

God is the widows judge, within
his place of holynesse.

6 God doth the solitary set
in families; and from bands
The chain'd doth free, but rebels do
inhabit parched lands.

7 O God, what time thou didst go forth
before thy peoples face;
And when through the great wilderness,
thy glorious marching was;

8 Then at Gods presence shook the earth;
then drops from heaven fell;
This Sinai shook before the Lord,
the God of Israel.

9 O God, thou to thine heritage
did send a plenteous rain;
Whereby thou, when it weary was,
didst it refresh again.

10 Thy congregation then did make
their habitation there:
Of thine own goodnesse for the poor,
O God, thou didst prepare.

11 The Lord himself did give the word,
the word abroad did spread;
Great was the company of them
the same who published.

12 Kings of great armies soiled were,
and forc'd to flee away;
And women who remain at home,
did distribute the prey.

13 Thou

PSALM LXVIII.

- 13 Though ye have lye among the pors;
like doves ye shall appear :
Whose wings with silver, and with gold,
whose feathers covered are.
- 14 When there th' almighty scattered Kings,
like Salmon (now 'twas white :
- 15 Gods hill is like to Bashan hill :
like Bashan hill for highr.
- 16 Why do ye leap ye mountains high ?
this is the hill where God
Desires to dwell : yea, God in it,
for ay will make abode.
- 17 Gods chariots twenty thousand are,
thousands of Angels strong :
his holy place God is as in
mount Sinai, then among.
- 18 Thou hast, O Lord, most glorious
ascended up on hie,
and in triumph victorious led
captive captivitie.
- Thou hast received gifts for men,
for such as did rebell,
Yea, ev'n for them : that God the Lord
in midst of them might dwell.
- 19 Blest be the Lord, who is to us
of our salvation God,
Who daily with his benefits
us pleasantly doth load,
He of salvation is the God,
who is our God most strong ;
And, unto God the Lord from death
the issues do belong.

PSALM LXVIII.

21 But surely, God shall wound the head
of those that are his foes;

The hairy scalp of him that still
on in his trespasses goes.

22 God said, my people I will bring
again from Babylon hill;

Yea, from the seas devouring deeps
them bring again I will.

23 That in the blood of enemies
thy foot imbrued may be;

And, of thy dogs dipped in the same,
the tongues thou mayest see.

24 Thy goings they have seen, O God,
the steps of Majesty:

Of my God, and my mighty King,
within the sanctuary.

25 Before went singers, players next
on instruments took way;

And them among the damsels were
that did on timbrels play.

26 Within the congregations
blessed God with one accord;

From Isra'ls fountain do ye bless
and praise the mighty Lord.

27 With their Prince little Benjamin,
Princes and counsel there

Of Judah were, there Zabulons
and Naphtalies Princes were.

28 Thy God commands thy strength;
what thou wrought'st for us, Lord,

29 For thy house as Jerusalem.

PSALM LXIX.

Kings shall thee gifts afford.
 The spear mens host, the multitude
 of bulls which fiercely look :
 those calves which people have forth sent,
 O Lord our God rebuke,
 Till every one submit himself
 and silver pieces bring :
 the people that delight in war
 disperse, O God, and King.
 Those that be Princes great shall then
 come out of Egypt lands,
 and Ethiopia to God
 shall soon stretch out her hands.
 O all ye kingdoms of the earth,
 sing praises to this King ;
 for he is Lord that ruleth all,
 unto him praises sing.
 To him that rides on heav'ns of heav'ns,
 which he of old did found ;
 he sends out his voice, a voice
 in might that doth abound.
 Strength unto God do ye ascribe ;
 for his excellency
 over Israel, his strength
 is in the clouds most hid.
 Thou'rt from thy Temple dreadful, Lord,
 Isra'ls own God is he
 who gives his people strength, and pow'r,
 O let God blessed be.

PSALM LXIX.

Save me, O God, because the floods :
 do so invigour me,

PSALM LXIX.

That ev'n into my very soul
come in the waters be.

2 I downward in deep mire do sink
where standing there is none ;
I am into deep waters come,
where floods have o're me gone.

3 I weary with my crying am,
my throat is also dry'd .
Mine eyes do fail, while for my God
I waiting do abide.

4 Those men that do without a cause
bear hatred unto me,
Then are the hairs upon my head
in number more they be :

They that would me destroy, and are
mine enemies wrongfully
Are mighty : so, what I took not,
to render forc'd was I.

5 Lord, thou my folly know'st, my sins
not covered are from thee.

6 Let none that wait on thee be sham'd,
Lord, God of hosts, for me.

O Lord, the God of Israel,
let none, who search do make
And seek thee, be at any time
confounded for my sake.

7 For I have born reproach for thee,
my face is hid with shame :

8 To brethren strange, to mothers sons,
an alien I became.

PSALM LXIX.

Because the zeal did eat me up
which to thy House I bear;
And the reproches cast at thee,
upon me fallen are.
My tears and fasts r'afflict my soul,
were turned to my shame.
When sackcloth I did wear, to them
a proverb I became.

The men, that in the gate do sit,
against me evil spake :

They also, that vile drunkards were,
of me their song did make.

But in an acceptable time
my pray'r Lord is to thee :
Truth of thy salvation, Lord,
and mercy great hear me.

Deliver me out of the mire,
from sinking do me keep ;
Free me from those that do me hate,
and from the waters deep.

Let not the flood on me prevail,
whose water over flowes ;
Nor deep me swallow, nor the pit
her mouth upon me close.

Hear me, O Lord, because thy love
and kindnesse is most good ;

Turn unto me, according to
thy mercies multitude.

Nor from thy servant hide thy face,
I'm troubled, soon attend :

Draw neer my soul, and it redeem ;

PSALM LXXX.

me from my foes defend.

- 19 To thee is my reproach well known
my shame, and my disgrace :
Those that mine adversaries be,
are all before thy face :
- 20 Reproach hath broke my heart, I'm
of grief, I look'd for one
To pity me, but none I found ;
comforters found I none.
- 21 They also bitter gall did give
unto me for my meat :
They gave me vinegar to drink,
when as my thirst was great.
- 22 Before them let their table prove
a snare ; and do thou make
Their welfare and prosperity
a trap themselves to take.
- 23 Let thou their eyes so darkned be,
that sight may them forsake :
And let their loins be made by thee
continually to shake.
- 24 Thy fury pour thou out on them,
and indignation ?
And let thy wrathful anger, Lord,
fast hold take them upon.
- 25 All waste and desolate let be,
their habitation,
And in their tabernacles all
inhabitants be none.
- 26 Because him they do persecute,
whom thou didst smite before ;

PSALM LXXII

They talk unto the grief of those
whom thou hast wounded sore,

Adde thou iniquity unto
their former wickednesse :

And do not let them come at all
unto thy righteousness.

Out of the book of life let them
be raz'd, and blotted quite ;

Among the just and righteous
let not their names be writ.

But now, become exceeding poor,
and sorrowful am I :

thy salvation, O my God,
let me be set on high.

The Name of God, I with a song
most chearfully will praise ;

and I, in giving thanks to him,
his Name shall highly raise.

This to the Lord a sacrifice
more gracious shall prove,
than bullock, ox, or any beast
that hath both horn and hoof.

When this the humble men shall see
it joy to them shall give :

all ye that do seek the Lord,
your heart shall ever live.

For God the poor hears, and will not
his prisoners contemn.

Let heav'n, and earth, and seas him praise,
and all that move in them.

For God will Judah's cities build,

and:

PSALM LXX.

and he will Sion save ;
That they may dwell therein, and it
in sure possession have.

36 And they that are his servants seed
inherit shall the same ;
So shall they have their dwelling there,
that love his blessed Name.

PSAL. LXX.

Lord, haste me to deliver,
with speed, Lord succour me.

2 Let them, that for my soul do seek,
sham'd and confounded be :

Turn'd back be they and sham'd
that in my hurt delight.

3 Turn'd back be they, Ha, ha, that say,
their shaming to requite.

4 In thee let all be glad,
and joy that seek for thee :
Let them who thy salvation love,
say still, God praised be.

5 I poor and needy am,
come, Lord, and make no stay :
My help thou and deliverer art,
O Lord, make no delay.

Answer of the same.

Make haste, O God, me to preserve,
with speed, Lord succour me.

2 Let them that for my soul do seek
sham'd and confounded be :

Let them be turned back, and sham'd,
that in my hurt delight.

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their shaming to requite.

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and joy that seek for thee :
Let them who thy salvation love,
say still God praised be.

5 But I both poor and needy am,
come, Lord, and make no stay :
My help thou and deliverer art,
O Lord, make no delay.

PSAL. LXXI.

O Lord, my hope and confidence
is plac'd in thee alone :
Then let thy servant never be
put to confusion.

2 And let me, in thy righteousness
from thee deliv'rance have ;
Cause me escape, encline thine ear
unto me, and me save.

3 Be thou my dwelling rock, to which
I ever may resort.

Thou gav'st commandment me to save,
for thou'rt my rock and fort.

4 Free me, my God, from wicked hands,
hands cruel and unjust.

5 For thou, O Lord God, art my hope
and from my youth, my trust.

6 Then from the womb did'st hold me up :
thou art the same that me
Out of my mothers bowels took,
I ever will praise thee.

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- 7 To many I a wonder am ;
but thou'rt my refuge strong ;
- 8 Fill'd let my mouth be with thy praise,
and honour all day long.
- 9 O do not cast me off, when as
old age doth overtake me ;
And, when my strength decayed is,
then do thou not forsake me.
- 10 For those that are mine enemies
against me speak with hate :
And they together counsel take
that for my soul lay wait.
- 11 They said, God leaves him ; him pursue
and take ; none will him save.
- 12 Be thou not far from me, my God
thy speedy help I crave.
- 13 Confound, consume them, that unto
my soul are enemies ;
Cloath'd be they with reproach and shame,
that do my hurt devise.
- 14 But I with expectation
will hope continually ;
And yet with praises more and more,
I will thee magnifie.
- 15 Thy justice and salvation
my mouth abroad shall show,
Ev'n all the day, for I thereof
the numbers do not know.
- 16 And I will constantly go on
in strength of God the Lord :

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And thine own righteousness, ev'n shine
alone I will record.

17 For, even from my youth, O God,
by thee I have been taught ;
And hitherto I have declar'd
the wonders thou hast wrought.

18 And now, Lord, leave me not, when I
old and gray headed grow :
Till to this age thy strength and pow'r
to all to come I show.

19 And thy most perfect righteousness,
O Lord, is very high,
Who hast so great things done, O God,
who is like unto thee ?

20 Thou, Lord, who great adversities,
and sore to me didst show,
Shalt quicken and bring me again
from depths of earth below.

21 My greatness and my pow'r thou wilt
increase and far extend:
On every side against all grief,
thou wilt me comfort send.

22 Thee, ev'n thy truth, I'll also praise
my God, with psaltery:
Thou holy One of Israel,
with harp I'll sing to thee.

23 My lips shall much rejoyce in thee;
when I thy praises sound :
My soul which thou redeemed hast,
in joy shall much abound.

24 My tongue thy justice shall proclaim,
continuing

PSALM LXXII.

continuing all day long;
For they confounded are, and sham'd
that seek to do me wrong.

P S A L. LXXII.

O Lord, thy judgements give the King,
his son thy righteousness.

2 With right he shall thy people judge,
thy poor with uprightnesse.

3 The lofty mountains shall bring forth,
unto the people peace;

Likewise the little hills the same
shall do by righteousness.

4 The peoples poor ones he shall judge,
the needies children save:

And those shall he in pieces break
who them oppressed have.

5 They shall thee fear, while sun and moon
do last through ages all.

6 Like rain on mown grasse he shall drop,
or showres on earch that fall.

7 The just shall flourish in his dayes,
and prosper in his reign;

He shall, while doth the moon endure,
abundant peace maintain.

8 His large and great dominions shall
from sea to sea extend,

It from the river shall reach forth
unto earths utmost end.

9 They, in the wilderness that dwell,
bow down before him must:

And they, that are his enemies,

shall

PSALM LXXII.

shall lick the very dust.

10 The Kings of Tarshish, and the Isles
to him shall presents bring;
And unto him shall offer gifts
Sheba's and Seba's King.

11 Yea, all the mighty Kings on earth
before him down shall fall;
And all the nations of the world
do service to him shall.

12 For he the needy shall preserve,
when he to him doth call;
The poor also, and him that hath
no help of man at all.

13 The poor man and the indigent
in mercy he shall spare:
He shall preserve alive the souls
of those that needy are.

14 Both from deceit and violence
their soul he shall set free;
And in his sight right precious
and dear their blood shall be.

15 Yea, he shall live, and giv'n to him
shall be of Sheba's gold;
For him still shall they pray, and he
shall daily be extoll'd.

16 Of corn an handful in the earth
on tops of mountains high,
With prosperous fruit shall shake like rees
in Lebanon that be.
The city shall be flourishing,
her citizens abound.

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In number shall, like to the grasse
that grows upon the ground.

17 His Name for ever shall endure
last like the sun it shall:

Men shall be blest in him, and blest
all nations shall him call.

18 Now blessed be the Lord, our God,
the God of Israel;

For he alone doth wondrous works,
in glory that excell.

19 And blessed be his glorious Name
to all eterniry;

The whole earth let his glory fill:
Amen, so let it be.

PSALM LXXIII.

YET God is good to Israel,
to each pure hearted one.

2 But as for me, my steps were slipt,
my feet were almost gone.

3 For I envious was, and grudg'd
the foolish folk to see,

When I perceiv'd the wicked sort
enjoy prosperity:

4 For still their strength continueth firm,
their death of bands is free:

5 They are not toil'd as other men,
nor plagu'd as others be.

6 Therefore their pride, like to a chain
them compasseth about;

And, as a garment, violence
doth cover them throughout.

PSALM LXXIII.

Their eyes stand out with fat, they have
more then their hearts could wish,
They are corrupt, their talk of wrong
both lewd and lofty is.
They set their mouth against the heav'ns
in their blasphemous talk;
And their reproaching tongue throughout
the earth at large doth walk.

His people often-times for this
look back, and turn about,
Wh waters of so full a cup
to these are poured out.
And thus they say, How can it be
that God these things doth know?
Can there in the highest be
knowledge of things below?

Behold, these are the wicked ones:
yet prosper at their will,
worldly things, they do increase
in wealth and riches still.
I verily have done in vain
my heart to purifie;
to no effect in innocence
washed my hands have I.

For daily, and all day throughout
great plagues I suffered have;
Yea, every morning I of new
did chastisement receive.
If in this manner foolishly
to speak I would intend:
My childrens generation,
behold, I should offend.

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PSALM LXXIII.

- 16 When I this thought to know, it was
too hard a thing for me,
17 Till to Gods Sanctuary I went,
then I their end did see.
18 Assuredly thou didst them set
a slippery place upon:
Them suddenly thou casted'st down
into destruction.
19 How in a moment suddenly
to ruine brought are they!
With fearful terrors utterly
they are consum'd away.
20 Ev'n like unto a dream, when one
from sleeping doth arise;
So thou, O Lord, when thou awak'st,
their image shall despise.
21 That grieved was my heart in me,
and me my reins oppress.
22 So rude was I, and ignorant,
and in thy sight a beast.
23 Nevertheless continually,
O Lord, I am with thee:
Thou dost me hold by my right hand,
and still upholdest me.
24 Thou, with thy counsel, while I live
wilt me conduct and guide;
And to thy glory afterward
receive me to abide.
25 Whom have I in the heavens high,
but thee, O Lord, alone;
And in the earth, whom I desire

PSALM LXXIII.

beside thee, there is none.

My flesh, and heart doth faint and fail,
but God doth fail me never;

For of my heart God is the strength,
and portion for ever.

For, lo they that are far from thee,
for ever perish shall;

And that a whoring from thee go,
thou hast destroyed all.

But surely it is good for me,

that I draw near to God;

God I trust, that all thy works

I may declare abroad.

PSALM LXXIV.

God, why hast thou cast us off?

is it for evermore?

Amidst thy pasture sheep why doth

thine anger smoke so sore?

Call to thy remembrance

thy congregation,

which thou hast purchased of old:

still think the same upon

thy rod of thine inheritance,

which thou redeemed hast,

in Sion hill, wherein thou hadst,

thy dwelling in times past.

To these long desolations

thy feet lift, do not tarry;

all the ills thy foes have done

within thy Sanctuary.

Amidst thy congregations

thine

PSALM LXXIV

- thine enemies do roar in,
 Their ensigns they set up, for signs
 of triumph, thee before.
 5 A man was famous, and was had
 in estimation,
 According as he lifted up
 his axe thick trees upon.
 6 But all at once with axes now
 and hammers they go too,
 And down the carved work thereof
 they break, and quite undo.
 7 They fired ~~have~~ thy Sanctuary,
 and have defil'd the shrine,
 By casting down ~~up~~ the ground
 the place where dwelt thy Name.
 8 Thus said they in their hearts, Let us
 destroy them out of hand:
 They burnt up all the Synagogues
 of God within the land.
 9 Our signs we do not now behold,
 there is not as among
 A prophet more, nor any one
 that knows the time how long.
 10 How long, Lord, shall the enemy
 thus in reproach exclaim?
 And shall the adversary thus
 alwayes blaspheme thy Name?
 11 Thy hand, ev'n thy right hand of might
 why dost thou thus draw back?
 O from thy bosom pluck it out,
 for our deliverance sake.

PSALM LXXIV.

For certainly God is my King,
ev'n from the times of old,
Working in midst of all the earth
salvation manifold.
The sea, by thy great pow'r to part
wonder thou didst make;
and thou the dragons heads, O Lord,
within the waves brake.
The Leviatans heads, thou brake
in pieces, and didst give
us to be meat unto the folk
in wilderness that live.
Thou clave the fountain and the flood,
which did with streams abound:
thou dryd'st the mighty waters up
unto the very ground.
Thine only is the day, O Lord,
thine also is the night;
and thou alone prepared hast
the sun and shining light.
By thee the borders of the earth
were settled every where:
The summer and the winter both
by thee created were.
That th'enemy reproached hath,
O keep it in record:
And that the foolish people have
blasphem'd thy Name, O Lord.
Unto the multitude do not
thy turtles soul deliver;
The congregation of thy poor
do not forget for ever.

PSALM LXXV.

20 Unto thy covenant have respect :
for earths dark places be
Full of the habitations
of horrid cruelty.

21 O let not those that be oppress'd
return again with shame :
Let those that poor and needy are
give praise unto thy Name.

22 Do thou, O God, arise and plead
the cause that is thine own :
Remember how thou art reproach'd
still by the foolish one.

23 Do not forget the voice of those
that are thine enemies :
Of those the tumult ever grows
that do against thee rise.

PSALM LXXV.

TO thee, O God, do we give thanks,
we do give thanks to thee :

Because thy wondrous works declare
thy great Name near to be.

2 I purpose, when I shall receive
the congregation,

That I shall judgement uprightly
render to every one.

3 Dissolved is the land, withall
that in the same do dwell ;

But I the pillars thereof do
bear up, and stablish well.

4 I, to the foolish people said,
do not deal foolishly ;

PSALM LXXVI.

unto those that wicked are,
Lift not your horn on hie.

Lift not your horn on hie, nor speak
6 with stubborn neck : But know,
that nor from east, nor west, nor south,
promotion doth flow.

But God is judge : He puts down one,
and sets another up.

For in the hand of God most high
of red wine is a cup :

It's full of mixture ; He pours forth,
and makes the wicked all

Bring out the bitter dregs thereof,
yea, and they drink them shall.

But I, for ever will declare,
I Jacobs God will praise.

10 All horns of lewd men I'll cut off,
but just mens horns will raise.

PSALM LXXVI.

IN Judahs land God is well known,
his Name's in Israel gear.

1 In Salem is his Tabernacle,
in Sion is his seat.

3 There arrows of the bow he brake :
the shield, the sword, the war.

4 More glorious thou then hills of prey,
more excellent art far.

5 Those that were stout of heart are spoil'd,
they slept their sleep outright ;

And none of those their hands did finde
that were the men of might.

PSALM LXXVII.

6 When thy rebuke, O Jacobs God,
had forth against thempest,
Their horses and their chariots both
were in a dead sleep cast.

7 Thou, Lord, ev'n thou art he that thou
be fear'd, and who is he
That may stand up before thy sight,
if once thou angry be.

8 From hence 'n thou judgement call'd be he
the earth was still with fear,

9 When God to judgement rose, to save
all meek on earth that were.

10 Surely the very wrath of man
unto thy praise redoubles;

Thou to the restraint of his wrath
wilt set restraining bounds.

11 Vow to the Lord your God, and pay;
all ye that hear him be

Bring gifts and presents unto him,
for to be fear'd is he.

12 By him the spirits shall be cut off
of those that Princes are;

Unto the Kings that are on earth
he fearful doth appear.

PSALM LXXVII.

U NTO the Lord I with my voice,
I unto God did cry

Ev'n with my voice, and unto me
his ear he did apply.

2 I in my trouble sought the Lord;
my sore by night did run,

PSALM LXXVII.

pleased not : my grieved soul
did consolation shun.

I to remembrance God did call,
yet trouble did remain ;

overwhelm'd my spirit was
whilst I did sore complain.

Mine eyes debar'd from rest and sleep
thou makest still to wake :

trouble is so great that I
unable am to speak.

The dayes of old to mind I call'd,
and oft did think upon

times and ages, that are past
full many years agoe.

By night my song I call'd to mind,
and continu'd with my heart,

spirit did carefully inquire
how I might ease my smart.

For ever will the Lord cast off ?
and gracious be no more ?

For ever is his mercy gone ?
fails his word evermore ?

Is't true that to be gracious,
the Lord forgotten hath ?

And that his tender mercies he
hath shut up in his wrath ?

Then did I say, that surely this
is mine infirmity :

I mind the years of the right hand
of him that is most high.

Yes, I remember will the works

PSALM LXXVII

performed by the Lord;
The wonders done of old by thee
I surely will record.

12 I also will of all thy works
my meditation make :
And of thy doings to discomfite
great pleasure I will take.

13 O God, thy way most holy is
within thy Sanctuary ;
And what God is so great in pow'r,
as is our God most hie ?

14 Thou art the God that wonders do
by thy right hand most strong :
Thy mighty pow'r thou hast declar'd,
the nations among.

15 To thine own people with thine arm
thou didst redemption bring :
To Jacobs sons, and to the Tribes
of Joseph that do spring.

16 The waters, Lord, perceived thee,
the waters saw thee well ;
And they for fear aside did flee ;
the depths on trembling fell.

17 The clouds in water forth were pour'd
loudly did the sky ;
And swiftly through the world abroad,
thine arrows fierce did fly.

18 Thy thunders voice along 'st the heav'n
a mighty noise did make :
By lightnings lightned was the world,
th'earth tremble did and shake.

PSALM LXXVIII.

Thy way is in the sea, and in
the waters great thy path;
are thy footsteps hid, O Lord,
none knowledge thereof hath.

Thy people thou didst safely lead
like to a flock of sheep,
Moses hand, and Aaron thou
didst them conduct and keep.

PSALM LXXVIII.

Trend, my people, to my Law,
thereto give thou an ear:
the words that from my mouth proceed,
attentively do hear.

My mouth shall speak a parable,
and sayings dark of old:
The same which we have heard, and known
and as our fathers told.

We also will them not conceal
from their posterity:

then to the generation
to come declare will we.

The praises of the Lord our God
and his Almighty strength,
the wondrous works that he hath done,
we will shew forth at length.

His testimony and his law
in Israel he did place,

and charg'd our father, it to shew
to their succeeding race.

That so the race which was to come
might well them learn and know;

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And sons unborn, who should arise
might to their sons them show.

7 That they might see their hope in God,
and suffer not to fall

His mighty works out of their minds,
but keep His precepts all.

8 And might not, like their fathers be
a stiff rebellious race,

A race nor right is bear, with God
whose spirit not steadfast was.

9 The sons of Ephraim, who nor bows
nor other arms did lack,

When as the day of battle was
they faintly turned back.

10 They brake Gods covenant, and re-
in his commands to go:

11 His works and wonders they forgot,
which he to them did show.

12 Things marvelous he brought to pass
their fathers them behold,

Within the land of Egypt done,
yes, ev'n in Zions field.

13 By him divided was the sea,
he caus'd them through to pass;

And made the waters so to stand,
as like an heap it was.

14 With cloud by day, with light of fire
all night he did them guide;

15 In desert rocks he clave, and drink
on from great depths supply'd.

PSALM LXXVIII

He from the rock brought streams, like
wells of water to run down. (floods

Yet sinning more, in desert they
provok'd the Highest One.

For in their heart they tempted God,
and speaking with mistrust,

They greedily did meat require
to satisfy their lust.

Against the Lord himself they spoke,
and murmuring said thus,
able in the wilderness
can God prepare for us?

Behold, he smote the rock; and thence
came streams and waters great;

can he give his people bread,
and send them flesh to eat?

The Lord did hear, and waxed wroth,
he kindled was a flame,

against Jacob, and against Israel
up indignation came.

For they believ'd not God; nor trust
in his salvation had:

Though floods above he did command,
and heav'n's doors open made;

And Manna rain'd on them, and gave
them corn of heav'n to eat.

Man Angels food did eat, to them
He to the full sent meat,

And in the heaven He did cause

Eastern winds to blow;

and by His power He let out,

PSALM LXXVIII.

the Southern winde to go.

27 Then flesh, as thick as dust, he made
to rain down them among ;
And feather'd fowls, like as the sand,
which ly' th the shore along.

28 At his command amidst their camp,
these showers of flesh down fell,
All round about the tabernacles
and tents where they did dwell.

29 So did they eat abundantly,
and had of meat their fill ;
For he did give to them what was
their own desire and will.

30 They from their lust had not estrang'd
their heart and their desire ;
But while the meat was in their mouth
which they did so require,

31 Gods wrath upon them came, and slew
the farrest of them all ;
So that the choise of Israel,
o'rethrowne by death, did fall.

32 Yet notwithstanding of all this,
they sinned still the more ;
And, though he had great wonders wrought
believ'd him not therefore.

33 Wherefore their dayes in vanity,
he did consume and waste,
And by his wrath their wretched years
away in trouble past.

34 But when he slew them, then they did
to seek him shew desire ;

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they return'd, and after God
right early did inquire.

And that the Lord, had been their Rock
they did remember then:

Yea that the high Almighty God
had their Redeemer been.

Yet with their mouth they flatter'd him,
and spake but fainedly,

And they unto the God of truth
with their false tongues did ly.

For, though their words were good, their
with him was not sincere: (heart

stedfast and perfidious
they in his covenant were.

But full of pity, he forgave
their sin, them did not slay;

nor stir'd up all his wrath, but oft
his anger turn'd away.

For that they were but fading flesh,
to minde he did recall:

A wind that passeth soon away,
and not returns at all.

How often did they him provoke
within the wilderness?

And in the desert did him grieve
with their rebelliousnesse?

Yea, turning back they tempted God,
and limits set upon

him who in midst of Israel is
the only holy One.

They did not call to minde his pow'r,

nor yet the day when he
Delivered them out of the hand
of their fiercest enemy.

43 Nor how great signs in Egypt land,
He openly had wrought,
What miracles in Zions field,
his hand to passe had brought.

44 How lakes and rivers every where
he turned into blood;
So that nor man, nor beast could drink
of standing lake or flood.

45 He brought among them swarms of
which did them sore annoy;
And divers kindes of filthy frogs
He sent them to destroy.

46 He to the caterpillar gave
the fruits of all their soil:
Their labours he deliver'd up
unto the locusts spoil.

47 Their vines with hail, their fycomon,
he with the frost did blast:

48 Their beasts to hail he gave, their flocks
his thunder bolts did waste.

49 Fierce burning wrath he on them cast,
and indignation strong;
And troubles sore, by sending forth
ill angels them among.

50 He to his wrath made way: their soul
from death he did not save;

But over to the pestilence
the lives of them he gave.

PSALM LXXVIII.

- In Egypt lead the first born all
he smote down every where,
amongst the tents of Ham, ev'n these
chief of their strength that were.
But his own people like to sheep
thence to go forth he made;
and he amidst the wilderness
them, as a flock did lead.
- 33 And he them safely on did lead,
so that they did not fear;
whereas their enemies by the sea,
quite overwhelmed were.
- 34 To borders of his Sanctuary
the Lord his people led,
ev'n to the mount, which his right hand
for them had purchased.
- 35 The nations of Canaan,
by his Almighty hand,
before their face he did expell,
out of their native land.
Which for inheritance to them
by line he did divide,
and made the tribes of Israel,
within their tents abide.
- 36 Yet God most high they did provoke
and tempted ever still:
and to observe his testimonies,
did not incline their will.
- 37 But like their fathers, turned back,
and dealt unfaithfully:
afide they turned like a bow
that shoots deceitfully.

PSALM LXXVIII.

- 58 For they to anger did provoke
him with their places hie ;
And with their graven images
mov'd him to jealousie.
- 59 When God heard this, he waxed wroth
and much loath'd Israel then :
- 60 So Shilohs tent, he left, the tent
which he had plac'd with them Men
- 61 And he his strength delivered
into captivity,
He left his glory in the hand
of his proud enemy :
- 62 His people also he gave over
unto the swords fierce rage :
So sore his wrath inflamed was,
against his heritage.
- 63 The fire consum'd their choice young men
their maids no marriage had :
- 64 And when the priests fell by the sword
their wives no mourning made.
- 65 But then the Lord arose, as one
that doth from sleep awake ;
And like a gyant, that by wine
refreshed, a shout doth make.
- 66 Upon his enemies hinder parts
he made his stroke to fall ;
And so upon them he did put
a shame perpetual.
- 67 Moreover, he the tabernacle
of Joseph did refuse ;
The mighty tribe of Ephraim

PSALM LXXIX.

He would in no wise chuse,
But he did chuse Jehudahs tribe
To be the rest above,
Of mount Sion he made choice,
Which he so much did love.
And he his Sanctuary built,
Like to a palace hie,
To the earth, which he did found
To perpetuity.
Of David that his servant was,
He also choice did make;
And even from the folds of sheep
Was pleased him to take.
From waiting on the ewe with young,
He brought him for to feed:
Israel, his inheritance,
His people, Jacobs seed.
So after the integrity
Of his heart he them fed;
And by the good skill of his hands
Them wisely governed.

PSAL. LXXIX.

O God, the heathen entered have
Thine heritage, by them
Defiled is thy house; on heaps
They laid Jerusalem.
The bodies of thy servants they
Have cast forth to be meat
To ravenous fowls, thy dear saints flesh
They give to beasts to eat.
Their blood about Jerusalem

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PSALM LXXIX.

- like water they have shed ;
 And there was none to bury them
 when they were slain and dead.
- 4 Unto our neighbours a reproach
 most base become are we ;
 A scorn and laughing-stock to them
 that round about us be.
- 5 How long, Lord, shall thine anger last ?
 wilt thou still keep the same ?
 And shall thy fervent jealousy
 burn like unto a flame.
- 6 On heathens pour thy fury forth,
 that have thee never known,
 And on these kingdoms which thy Name
 have never call'd upon.
- 7 For these are they which Jacob have
 devoured cruelly,
 And they his habitation
 have caused waste to ly.
- 8 Against us misde not former sins :
 thy tender mercies show ;
 Let them prevent us speedily,
 for we're brought very low.
- 9 For thy names glory help us, Lord,
 who hast our Saviour bin ;
 Deliver us, for thy Names sake,
 O purge away our sin.
- 10 Why say the heathen, Where's their God ?
 let him to them be known ;
 When these, who shed thy servants blood
 are in our sight o'rethrown.

PSALM LXXX.

- 11 O let the prisoners fight ascend
before thy sight on high:
Preserve those in thy mighty pow'r,
that are design'd to dy.
- 12 And to our neighbours bosom cause
it seven fold rendred be,
It's the reproach, wherewith they have,
O Lord, reproached thee.
- 13 So we thy folk, and pasture sheep,
shall give thee thanks alwayes,
And unto generations all
we will shew forth thy praise.

PSALM LXXX.

Hear, Israels shepherd, like a flock
thou that dost Joseph guide;
Shine forth, O thou that dost between
the cherubims abide.

2 In Ephraims and Benjamins,
and in Manasse's fight,
O come for our salvation,
stir up thy strength and might.

3 Turn us again, O Lord, our God,
and upon us vouchsafe
To make thy countenance to shine,
and so we shall be safe.

4 O Lord of hosts, almighty God,
how long shall kindled be
Thy wrath against the prayer made
by thine own folk to thee?

5 Thou tears of sorrow gives to them
in stead of bread, to eat;

Yea

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Yea, tears in stead of drink thou gives
to them in measure great.

6 Thou makest us a strife unto
our neighbours round about;
Our enemies among themselves
at us do laugh and flout.

7 Turn us again, O God of hosts,
and upon us vouchsafe
To make thy countenance to shine,
and so we shall be safe.

8 A vine from Egypt brought thou hast
by thine outstretched hand:
And thou the heathen out didst cast,
to plant it in their land.

9 Before it thou a room didst make,
where it might grow and stand:
Thou causedst it deep root to take,
and it did fill the land.

10 The mountains vail'd were with its shade
as with a covering:
Like goodly Cedars were the boughs,
which out from it did spring.

11 Upon the one hand, to the sea
her boughs she did out send;
On th'other side unto the flood
her branches did extend.

12 Why hast thou then thas broken down
and take her hedge away?
So that all passengers do pluck,
and make of her a prey.

13 The boar who from the Forrest comes,
doth

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both waste it at his pleasure ;
the wilde beasts of the field also
devours it out of measure.

O God of hosts, we thee beseech,
return now unto thine :
look down from heav'n in love, behold,
and visit this thy vine.

This vineyard which thine own right hand
hast planted us among :

and that same branch, which for thy self
thou hast made to be strong.

Born up it is with flaming fire,
it also is cut down :

they utterly are perished
when as thy face doth frown.

Let thy hand be still upon
the man of thy right hand ;

the son of man, whom for thy self
thou madest strong to stand.

So henceforth we will not go back,
nor turn from thee at all.

do thou quicken us, and we
upon thy Name will call.

Turn us again, Lord God of hosts,
and upon us vouchsafe

to make thy countenance to shine,
and so we shall be safe.

PSALM LXXXI.

Sing loud to God, our strength, with joy
to Jacobs God do sing.

Take up a psalm, the pleasant harp,

timbrel

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timbrel and psaltery bring.

3 Blow trumpets at new moon, what day
our feast appointed is;

4 For charge to Israel, and a Law
of Jacobs God was this.

5 To Joseph this a testimony
he made, when Egypt land

He travell'd through, where speech I hear
I did not understand.

6 His shoulder I from burdens took,
his hands from pots did free.

7 Thou didst in trouble on me call,
and I deliver'd thee:

In secret place of thundering

I did thee answer make:

And at the streams of Maribah,
of thee a proof did take.

8 O thou my people, give an ear
I'll testify to thee:

To thee, O Israel, if thou wilt
but hearken unto me.

9 In midst of thee there shall not be
any strange god at all;

Nor unto any god unknown,
thou bowing down shalt fall.

10 I am the Lord thy God, which did
from Egypt land thee guide:

I'll fill thy mouth abundantly
do thou it open wide.

11 But yet my people to my voice
would not attentive be;

even my chosen Israel
he would have none of me,
So to the lust of their own hearts
I them delivered:
and then in counsels of their own
they vainly wandered.

O that my people had me heard,
Israel My wayes had choſen
I had their enemies ſoon ſubdu'd,
my hand turn'd on their foes.
The haters of the Lord, to him
ſubmiſſion ſhould have ſaid;
as for them, their time ſhould have
for evermore remain'd.

He ſhould have alſo fed them with
the finell of the wheat,
honey from the rock, chy ſill
I ſhould have made them eat.

PSAL. LXXXII.

IN gods aſſembly GOD doth ſtand,
He judgeth gods among.
How long, accepting perſons wilt
will ye give judgement wrong?
Defend the poor and fatherleſſe,
to poor oppreſſe do right.
The poor and needy ones ſet free,
rid them from all mens might.

They know not, nor will underſtand,
in darkneſſe they walk on:
all the foundations of the earth
out of their courſe are gone.

PSALM LXXXIII.

6 I said that you are gods, and are
sons of the highest all;

7 But ye shall die like men, and as
one of the princes fall.

8 O God, do thou raise up thy self,
the earth to judgement call:

For thou, as thine inheritance,
shalt rake the nations all.

PSALM LXXXIII.

Keepest, O God, we thee intreat,
O keep not silence now:

Do thou not hold thy peace, O God,
and still no more be thou.

2 For lo, thine enemies a noise
tumultuously have made,

And they that haters are of thee,
have lifted up the head.

3 Against thy chosen people they
do crafty counsel take;

And they against thy hidden ones
no consultations make.

4 Come, let us cut them off, said they,
from being a nation;

That of the name of Israel may
no more be mention.

5 For with joynt heart they plot, in league
against thee they combine,

6 The tents of Edom, Ishmaelites,
Moabs and Hagars line.

7 Gebal and Ammon, Amalek,
Philistines, those of Tyre:

PSALM LXXXIV.

And Affair joy'd with them, to help
Lords children they conspire.

Do to them as to Midian,

Jabin, at Kison strand;

And Sisera, which at Endor fell,
is dung to sat the land.

Like Oreb, and like Zeeb make
their noble men to fall;

Like Zeba, and Zalmunna like,
make thou their princes all:

Who said, for our possession
let us Gods houses take.

My God, them like a wheel, as chaff
before the wind, them make.

As fire consumes a wood, as flame
doth mountains set on fire;

Chale and affright them with the storm
and tempest of thine ire.

Their faces fill with shame, O Lord,
that they may seek thy Name.

Let them confounded be and vext,
and perish in their shame.

That men may know, that thou to whom
alone doth appertain

The Name Jehovah, dost most high
o're all the earth remain.

PSAL. LXXXIV.

How lovely is thy dwelling place,

O Lord of hosts, to me?

The tabernacles of thy grace

how pleasant Lord they be

My

PSALM LXXXIV.

2 My thirsty soul longs vehemently,
yea, faints thy courts to see:
My very heart and flesh cry out,
O living God, for thee.

3 Behold the sparrow findeth out
an house wherein to rest;
The swallow also for her self
hath purchased a nest.

Ev'n thine own eaves, where she safe
her young ones forth may bring.
O thou Almighty, Lord of hosts,
who art my God, and King.

4 Blest are they in thy house that dwell,
they ever give thee praise.

5 Blest is the man whose strength thou
in whose heart are thy ways:

6 Who passing throu' Baca's vale
therein do dig up wells;
Also the same that falleth down
the pools with water fills.

7 So they from strength unwearied go,
still forward men of strength,
until in Zion they appear
before the Lord as king.

8 Lord God of hosts, my prayer hear,
O Jacobs God, give ear:

9 See God, our shield, look on the face
of thine anointed dear.

10 For in thy Courts one day excels
a thousand; rather in
My Gods house will I keep a door,

and dwell in tents of sin.

For, God the Lord's a sun and shield:
He'll grace and glory give;
And will withhold no good from them
that uprightly do live.

O thou that art the Lord of hosts,
that man is truly blest,
by assured confidence
on thee alone doth rest.

PSAL. LXXXV.

O Lord, thou hast been favourable
to thy beloved land,
thy captivity thou hast
recall'd with mighty hand.
Thou pardoned thy people hast
all their iniquities.

All their trespasses and sins
hast covered from thine eyes.

Thou took'st off all thine ire, and turn'd'st
from thy wraths fierceness,
Turn us, God of our health, and cause
thy wrath 'gainst us to cease.
Shall thy displeasure thus endure
against us without end?

Wilt thou to generations all
thine anger forth extend?

That in thee may thy people joy,
wilt thou not us revive?

Shew us thy mercy, Lord, to us
do thy salvation give.

Please hear what God the Lord, will speak

to his folk he'll speak peace,
And to his saints; but let them not
return to foolishnesse.

9 To them that fear him, surely near
is his salvation;
That glory in our land may have
her habitation.

10 Truth met with mercy, righteousness
and peace kiss'd mutually.

11 Truth springs from earth, and righteousness
looks down from heaven his.

12 Yea, what is good, the Lord shall give,
our land shall yeeld increase.

13 Justice, to set us in his steps,
shall go before his face.

P S A L, LXXXVI.

O Lord, do thou bow down thine ear,
and hear me graciously;
Because I sore afflicted am,
and am in poverty.

2 Because I'm holy, let my soul
by thee preserved be:

O thou my God, thy servant save
that puts his trust in thee.

3 Sigh unto thee I daily cry;
be merciful to me.

4 Rejoyce thy servants soul: for, Lord,
I lift my soul to thee.

5 For thou art gracious, O Lord,
and ready to forgive,
And rich in mercy, all that call

upon thee, to relieve.

Hear, Lord, my pray'r ; unto the voice
of my request attend.

In troublous times I'll call on thee,
for thou wilt answer send.

Lord, there is none among the gods
that may with thee compare ;

and like the works which thou hast done
not any works is there.

All nations whom thou mad'st shall come
and worship reverently

before thy face ; and they, O Lord,
thy Name shall glorifie.

Because thou art exceeding great,
and works by thee are done,

which are to be admir'd ; and thou
art God thy self alone.

Teach me thy way, and in thy truth,
O Lord, then walk will I :

and my heart, that I thy Name
may fear continually.

O Lord, my God, with all my heart,
to thee I will give praise ;

and I the glory will ascribe
unto thy Name alwayes.

Because thy mercy toward me
in greatnesse doth excell ;

and thou delivered hast my soul
out from the lowest hell.

O God, the proud against me rise,
and violent men have met,

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That

That for my soul have sought; and thee,
before them have not set.

15 But thou art full of pity, Lord,
a God most gracious,
Long suffering, and in thy truth
and mercy plenteous.

16 O turn to me thy countenance,
and mercy on me have;

Thy servant strengthen, and the son
of thine own hand-maid save.

17 Shew me a sign for good, that they
which do me hate may see,
And be ashamed; because thou, Lord,
didst help and comfort me.

PSALM LXXXVII.

UPON the hills of holiness
he his foundation sets.

2 God, more than Jacobs dwelling all
delights in Zions gates.

3 Things glorious are said of thee,
thou City of the Lord.

4 Rahab and Babel I, to those
that know me, will record;

Behold ev'n Tyne, and with it
the land of Palestine,

And likewise Ethiopia;
this man was born therein.

5 And it of Zion shall be said
this man and that man there
was born; and he that is most high
himself shall dwell in her.

PSALM LXXXVIII.

When God the people writes, he'll count
that this man born was there:

There be that sing and play; and all
my well springs in thee are.

PSALM LXXXVIII.

O Lord God, my Saviour, day and night
before thee cry'd have I.

Before thee let my prayer come,
give ear unto my cry.

For troubles great do fill my soul;
my life draws near the grave;

I'm counted with those that go down
to pit, and no strength have.

It's free among the dead, like them
that slain in grave do ly,

Woe from thy hand, whom no more
thou hast in memory.

Thou hast me laid in lowest pit,
in deeps, and darksome caves.

Thy wrath lies hard on me, thou hast
be prest with all thy waves.

Thou hast put far from me my friends;

thou mad'st them to abhor me;

all am so shut up, that I

had no evasion for me,

By reason of affliction

mine eye mourns dolefully:

thence, Lord, do I call and stretch

my hands continually.

Will thou show wonders to the dead?

shall they rise and thee bless?

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31 Shall

PSALM LXXXIX.

- 11 Shall in the grave thy love be sold?
in death thy faithfulness?
- 12 Shall thy great wonders in the dark,
or shall thy righteousness,
Be known to any in the land?
of deep forgetfulness?
- 13 But, Lord, to thee I cry'd, my pray'r
at morn prevent shall thee.
- 14 Why, Lord, dost thou cast off my soul?
and hid'st thy face from me?
- 15 Distress am I, and from my youth
I ready am to die;
Thy terrors I have born and am
distracted foolishly.
- 16 The dreadful fierceness of thy wrath
quite over me doth go:
Thy terrors great have cut me off,
they did pursue me so.
- 17 For round about me every day,
like water, they did run,
And gathering together, they
have compassed my soul.
- 18 My friends thou hast put far from me
and him that did me love;
And those that mine acquaintance were,
to darkness didst remove.

PSALM LXXXIX.

Gods mercies I will ever sing,
and with my mouth I shall
Thy faithfulness make to be known
to generations all,

PSALM LXXXIX.

For mercy shall be built, said I,
 forever to endure;
 thy faithfulness e' to the heav'ns,
 thou wilt establish fore.

I with my chosen One have made
 a covenant graciously:
 to my servant whom I lov'd,
 to David sworn have I
 That I thy seed establish shall
 for ever to remain;
 and will to generations all
 thy throne build and maintain.

The praises of thy wonders, Lord,
 the heavens shall express:
 in the congregation
 of saints, thy faithfulness.
 For who in heaven with the Lord,
 may once himself compare?
 Who is like God among the sons
 of those that mighty are?

Great fear in meetings of the saints
 is due unto the Lord:
 and he of all about him should
 with reverence be ador'd.
 O thou that art the Lord of hosts,
 what Lord in mightiness
 like to thee? who compass round
 art with thy faithfulness.

Ev'n in the raging of the sea
 thou over it dost reign,
 and when the waves thereof do swell,

PSALM LXXXIX

thou stillest them again.

10 Rachab in pieces thou didst break,
like one that is slaughtered is:
And with thy mighty arm thou hast
dispersed thine enemies.

11 The heav'ns are thine, thou for thine
the earth dost also take;

The world, and fulnesse of the same
thy power did found and make.

12 The north and south from thee alone
their first beginning had:

Both Tabor mount and Hermon hill,
shall in thy name be glad.

13 Thou hast an arm thee's full of power,
thy hand is great in might:

And thy right hand exceedingly
exalted is in might.

14 Justice and judgement of thy Throne
are made thy dwelling place:

Mercy, accompany'd with truth,
shall go before thy face.

15 O greatly blest the people are
the joyful sound that know:

In brightnesse of thy face, O Lord,
they ever on shall go.

16 They in thy Name shall all the day
rejoyce exceedingly.

And in thy righteousness shall they
exalted be on high.

17 Because the glory of their strength
doth only stand in thee.

PSALM LXXXIX:

In thy favour shall our horn
and pow'r exalted be.

For God is our defence, and he
to us doth safety bring :

The holy One of Israel
is our Almighty King:

In vision to thy Holy One
thou saidst, I help upon
strong one laid ; out of the folk
I rais'd a chosen one.

Ev'n David, I have found him out
a servant unto Me ;

With My holy oyl My King
anointed him to be.

With whom My hand shall stablish be,
mine arm shall make him strong.

On him the foe shall not exact,
nor job of mischief wrong.

I will beat down before his face
all his malicious foes :

I will utterly plague, who do
with hatred him oppose.

My mercy, and my faithful love
with him yet still shall be :

In my Name his horn and pow'r
men shall exalted see.

His hand and pow'r shall reach afar,
I'll set it in the sea ;

And his right hand established
shall in the rivers be.

Thou art my father, he shall cry,

PSALM LXXXIX.

- Thou art my God alone;
And he shall say, Thou art the Rock
of my salvation.
- 27 I'll make him my first born, more high
then Kings of any land:
- 28 My love I'll ever keep for him,
my cov'nant fast shall stand.
- 29 His seed I by my power will make
for ever to endure;
And, as the dayes of heaven his throne,
shall stable be and sure.
- 30 But if his children shall forsake
my laws, and go astray.
And in my judgements shall not walk,
but wander from my way.
- 31 If they my laws break, and do not
keep my Commandements.
- 32 I'll visit them their faults with rods,
their sins with chastisements.
- 33 Yet I'll not take my love from him,
nor false my promise make;
- 34 My cov'nant I'll not break, nor change
what with my mouth I spake.
- 35 Once by my holinesse I sware,
to David I'll not lye.
- 36 His seed and throne shall as the sun,
before me last for ay.
- 37 It like the moon shall ever be
establisht stedfastly;
And like to that which in the heav'n
doth witnesse faithfully.

PSALM LXXXIX.

But thou displeased, hast cast off,
thou didst abhorre and loath;

him that thine anointed is
thou hast been very wroth.

Thou hast thy servants covenant
made void and quite cast by;

thou hast prophan'd his crown, while it
lieth on the ground doth lie.

Thou all his hedges hast broke down,
his strong holds down hast torn.

He to all passers by a spoil,
to neighbours is a scorn.

Thou hast set up his foes right hand,
mad'st all his enemies glad;

Turn'd his sword's edge, and him to stand
in battell hast not made.

His glory thou hast made to cease,
his throne to ground down cast;

thou scorned his dayes of youth, and him
with shame thou covered hast.

How long, Lord? wilt thou hide thy self
for ever in thine ire?

How long shall thine indignation
burn like unto a fire?

Remember, Lord, how short a time
I shall on earth remain;

wherefore is it so that thou
hast made all men in vain?

What man is he that liveth here,
and death shall never see?

from the power of the grave;

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who

PSALM XC.

what man his soul shall free?

49 Thy former loving kindnesse,
O Lord, where be they now?
Those which in truth and faithfulness
to David sworn hast thou.

50 Mind, Lord, thy servants sad reproach
how I in bosom bear

The scornings of the people all
who strong and mighty are.

51 Wherewith thy raging enemies
reproach'd, O Lord, think on,
Wherewith they have reproach'd the
of thine anointed One.

52 All blessing to the Lord, our God,
let be ascribed then:

For evermore so let it be.

Amen, yea and amen.

PSALM XC.

Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place
in generations all.

2 Before thou ever hadst brought forth
the motuaine great or small;

E're ever thou hadst form'd the earth,
and all the world abroad.

Ev'n thou, from everlasting art,
to everlasting, God.

3 Thou dost unto destruction
man that is mortal turn;

And unto them thou sayst again,
ye sons of men return.

4 Because a thousand years appear,

PSALM XC

no more before thy sight
as yesterday, when it is past,
or then a watch by night.

As with an overflowing flood
thou carriest them away :
like a sleep are, like the grass
that grows at morn are they.
At morn it flourisheth and grows,
cut down at ev'n doth fade :
For by thine anger we consume,
thy wrath makes us afraid.

Our sins thou and iniquities
dost in thy presence place,
and sett'st our secret faults before
the brightness of thy face.
For in thine anger all our dayes
do passe on, to an end :
as a tale that hath been told,
so we our years do spend :

Threescore and ten years do sum up
our dayes and years we see :
if by reason of more strength,
in some fourscore they be ;
yet doth the strength of such old men
but grief and labours prove ;
for it is soon cut off, and we
fly hence and soon remove.

Who knows the power of thy wrath
according to thy fear.

So is thy wrath, Lord, teach thou us

PSALM XCII.

our end in mind to bear :
And so to count our dayes, that we
our hearts may still apply
To learn thy wisdom and thy truth,
that we may live thereby.

13 Turn yet again to us, O Lord;
how long thus shall it be?

Let it repent thee now, for those
that servants are to thee.

14 O with thy tender mercies, Lord,
us early satisfie;

So we rejoyce shall all our dayes,
and still be glad in thee.

15 According as the dayes have been
wherein we grief have had,

And years wherein we ill have seen,
so do thou make us glad.

16 O let thy work and pow'r appear
thy servants face before;

And show unto their children dear
thy glory evermore.

17 And let the beauty of the Lord
our God be us upon:

Our handy works estabish thou,
estabish them each one.

PSAL. XCII.

HE that doth in the secret place
of the most high reside,
Under the shade of him, that is
th' Almighty shall abide.

2 I of the Lord, my God, will say,

PSALM XCIV

He is my refuge still,
He is my fortresse, and my God,
and in him trust I will.

3 Affuredly he shall thee save,
and give deliverance
from subtil fowlers snare, and from
the noysome pestilence.

4 His feathers shall thee hide; thy trust
under his wings shall be:
His faithfulness shall be a shield
and buckler unto thee.

5 Thou shalt not need to be afraid
for terrors of the night:
Nor for the arrow that doth fly
by day, while it is light.

6 Nor for the pestilence that walks
in darknesse secretly.
Nor for destruction, that doth waste
at noon day, openly.

7 A thousand at thy side shall fall,
on thy right hand shall ly
Ten thousand dead, yet unto thee
it shall not once come nigh.

8 Only thou with thine eyes shalt look
and a beholder be;
And thou therein the just reward
of wicked men shalt see.

9 Because the Lord, who constantly
my refuge is alone,
Ev'n the most high is made by thee
thy habitation.

PSALM XCII.

10 No plague shall near thy dwelling come,
no ill shall thee befall :

11 For thee to keep in all thy wayes,
his Angels charge he shall.

12 They in their hands shall bear thee up,
still waiting thee upon ;

Left thou at any time should dash
thy foot against a stone.

13 Upon the adder thou shalt tread,
and on the Lion strong.

Thy feet on dragons trample shall,
and on the Lions young.

14 Because on me he set his love,
He save and set him free :

Because my great Name he hath known
I will him set on high.

15 He'll call on me, He answer him,
I will be with him still

In trouble to deliver him,
and honour him I will.

16 With length of dayes unto his mind
I will him satisfie ;

Also my salvation
will cause his eyes to see.

PSALM XCII.

TO render thanks unto the Lord,
it is a comely thing,

And to thy Name, O thou most high,
due praise aloud to sing.

Thy loving kindnesse to shew forth
when shines the morning light :

And

PSALM XCII

and to declare thy faithfulness,
with pleasure, every night.

3 On a ten stringed instrument
upon the psaltery;
and on the harp, with solemn sound,
and grave sweet melody.

4 For thou, Lord, by thy mighty work
hast made my heart right glad:
and I will triumph in the works
which by thine hands were made.

How great, Lord, are thy works! each thought
of thine a deep it is;

6 A brutish man it knoweth not,
fools understand not this.

7 When those that lewd and wicked are,
spring quickly up like grass,
and workers of iniquity
do flourish all apace.

It is that they for ever may
destroyed be and slain.

8 But thou, O Lord, art the most high
for ever to remain.

9 For lo, thine enemies, O Lord,
thine enemies perish shall:

The workers of iniquity
shall be dispersed all.

10 But thou shalt, like unto the horn
of th'unicorn, exalt

thy horn on high, thou with fresh oyl
anoint me also shalt.

11 Mine eye shall also my desire

PSALM XCIII.

See on mine enemies ;
Mine ears shall of the wicked hear,
that do against me rise.

12 But like the palm-tree, flourishing
shall be the righteous one :

He shall like to the Cedar grow
that is in Lebanon.

13 Those that within the house of God,
are planted by his grave,
They shall grow up, and flourish all
in our Gods holy place.

14 And in old age, when others fade,
they fruit still forth shall bring :
They shall be fat and full of sap,
and ay be flourishing.

15 To shew that upright is the Lord,
he is a rock to me :
And he from all unrighteousnesse,
is altogether free.

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THe Lord doth reign, and cloath'd is he
with majesty most bright :

His works do show him cloath'd to be,
and girt about with might.

The world is also stablished,
that it cannot depart.

2 Thy throne is fixt of old, and thou
from everlasting art.

3 The floods, O Lord, have lifted up,
they lifted up their voice ;

The floods have lifted up their waves

PSALM XCIV.

and made a mighty noise
 But yet the Lord, that is on high
 is more of might by far,
 can noise of many waters is,
 or great sea billows are.
 Thy testimonies every one,
 in faithfulness excell:
 and holiness for ever, Lord,
 thine house becometh well.

PSAL. XCIV.

O Lord God, unto whom alone
 all vengeance doth belong;
 mighty God, who vengeance ow'st
 shine forth, avenging wrong.
 Lift up thy self, thou of the earth
 the Sovereign Judge that art,
 unto those that are so proud
 a due reward impart.

How long, O mighty God, shall they
 who lewd and wicked be;
 how long shall they who wicked are,
 thus triumph haughtily?
 How long shall things most hard by them
 be uttered and told,
 and all that work iniquity
 to boast themselves be bold?

Thy folk they break in pieces, Lord,
 thine heritage oppress:
 The widow they and stranger slay,
 and kill the fatherless.
 Yet say they, God it shall not see,

nor

PSALM XCIV

nor God of Jacob know.

8 Ye brutish people understand,
fools, when wise will ye grow?

9 The Lord did plant the ear of man,
and hear then shall not he?

He only form'd the eye, and then
shall he not clearly see?

10 He that the nations doth correct
shall he not chastise you?

He knowledge more than man doth reach,
and shall himself not know?

11 Man's thoughts to be but vanity
the Lord doth well discern:

12 Blest is the man thou chastenest, Lord,
and mak'st thy Law to learn.

13 That thou may'st give him rest from
off sad adversity.

Until the pit he dig'd for those
that work iniquity.

14 For sure the Lord will not cast off
those that his people be,

Neither his own inheritance
quite and forsake will he.

15 But judgement unto righteous
shall yet return again;

And all shall follow after it
that are right hearted men.

16 Who will rise up for me, against
those that do wickedly?

Who will stand up for me, against those
that work iniquity?

PSALM XCIV.

Glasse the Lord had been my help
when I was sore oppress'd.
Most my soul had in the house
of silence been at rest.

When I had utter'd this word,
my foot doth slip away :
my mercy held me up, O Lord,
thy goodnesse did me stay.
Amidst the multitude of thoughts,
which in my heart do fight,
my soul, lest it be overcharg'd,
thy comforts do delight.

Shall of iniquity the throne
have fellowship with thee,
which mischief cunningly contriv'd,
both by a Law decreed
Against the righteous souls they joy,
the guiltlesse blood condemn :
But of my refuge God's the rock,
and my defence from them.

On them their own iniquity
the Lord shall bring and lay,
and cut them off in their own sin,
our Lord God shall them slay.

PSALM XCV.

O Come let us sing to the Lord,
come let us every one,
joyful noise make to the rock
of our salvation.

Let us before his presence come
with praise and thankful voice

Let

PSALM XCV.

Let us sing Psalms to him with grace,
and make a joyful noise.

3 For God a great God, and great King
above all gods he is.

4 Depths of the earth are in his hand,
the strength of hills is his.

5 To him the spacious sea belongs,
for he the same did make.

The dry land also from his hands
its form at first did take.

6 O come, and let us worship him,
let us bow down with all;

And on our knees before the Lord,
our Maker let us fall.

7 For he's our God, the people we
of his own pasture are,

And of his hand the sheep; to day
if ye his voice will hear.

8 Then harden not your hearts, as in
the provocation,

As in the desert, on the day
of the temptation.

9 When the your fathers tempt'd, and provok'd
and did my working see,

10 Ev'n for the space of forty years
this race hath grieved me.

I said, this people erres in heart,
my wayes they do not know:

11 To whom I swore in wrath, that to
my rest they should not go.

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PSALM XCVI.

Sing a new song to the Lord,
 Sing all the earth to God:
 To God sing, bless his Name, shew still
 his wondrous works abroad.
 Among the heathen nations,
 his glory to declare:
 Let all the people shew,
 his wondrous works abroad.
 For great's the Lord, and greatly he
 to be magnifi'd;
 worthy to be fear'd is he
 above all Gods besides:
 For all the gods are idols dumb,
 which blinded nations fear:
 Your God is the Lord, by whom
 the heav'n's created were.
 Great honour is before his face,
 and majesty divine;
 his light is within his holy place,
 and there doth beauty shine.
 Ascribe unto the Lord,
 ye people every tribe,
 ye do you unto the Lord,
 his mighty power ascribe.
 Give ye the glory to the Lord,
 for to his Name is due:
 Come ye into his Courts, and bring
 an offering with you.
 The beauty of his holiness
 do the Lord adore:
 And let all the earth throughout,
 tremble

- PSALM XCIII.**
tremble his face before
10 Among the heathen lay, God reigns,
the world shall steadfastly
Be fixt from moving; He shall judge
the people righteously.
11 Let heav'ns be glad before the Lord,
and let the earth rejoyce,
Let seas, and all that is therein,
cry out, and make a noise.
12 Let fields rejoyce, and every thing
that springeth of the earth:
Then wood, and every tree shall sing
with gladness and with mirth.
13 Before the Lord, because he comes,
to judge the earth comes he:
He'll judge the world with righteousness,
the people faithfully.

PSALM XCVII.

- G**OD reigneth, let the earth be glad
and let it rejoyce each one.
1 Dark clouds him compass, and in right
with judgement dwells his throne.
2 Fire goes before him, and his foes
it burns up round about.
3 His lightnings light'ned the world,
earth saw, and shook thoroughout,
4 Hills at the presence of the Lord
like wax, did melt away:
Ev'n at the presence of the Lord
of all the earth, I say.
5 The heav'ns declare his righteousness

all men his glory see,
all who serue graven images
confounded, let them be:

who of idols boast themselves
let shame upon them fall.

that are called gods, see that
ye do him worship all.

you did hear, and joyfull was,
glad Judahs daughters were,
much reioyc'd, O Lord, because
thy judgements did appeare.

for thou, O Lord, art high above
all things on earth that are;
all other gods thou art
exalted very far.

Here ill, all ye that love the Lord,
his saints soules keepeth He,
from the hands of wicked men
he lets them safe and free.

for all those that be righteous
lowne is a joyfull light,
gladnesse lowne is for all those
that are in heart upright.
the righteous in the Lord reioyce,
expresse your thankfulness,
bringe into your memory
do call his holinesse.

P S A L XCVIII.

Sing a new song to the Lord,
for wonders he hath done;
right hand, and his holy arm

him

- him victory hath won.
2 The Lord God his salvation
hath caused to be known:
His justice in the heathens fight
he openly hath shown.
3 He mindful of his grace and truth,
to Israels house hath been:
And the salvation of our God
all ends of th'earth have seen.
4 Let all the earth unto the Lord
send forth a joyful noise:
Lift up your voice aloud to him,
sing praises, and rejoyce.
5 With harp, with harp and voice of psalm
unto JEHOVAH sing.
6 With trumpets, cornets, gladly sound
before the Lord, the King.
7 Let fest, and all their fulnesse roar,
the world, and dwellers there.
8 Let floods clap hands, and let the hills
together joy declare.
9 Before the Lord, because he comes,
to judge the earth comes He:
He'l judge the world with righteousness,
his folk with equity.

P S A L. XCIX.

TH'Eternal Lord doth reign as King,
let all the people quake:
He sits between the Cherubims,
let th'earth be mov'd and shake.
2 The Lord in Sion great, and high

PSALM C.

above all people is.

Thy great and dreadful Name (for it
is holy) let them blesse.

The Kings strength also judgement loves,
thou settest equity.

Judgement thou dost execute
in Jacob, righteously.

The Lord our God exalt on his,
and reverently do ye

before his footstool worship him :
the holy one is He.

Moses and Aaron 'mongst his priests,

Samuel with them that call

on his Name; these call'd on God,

and He them answer'd all.

Within the pillar of the cloud

He unto them did speak :

testimonies, He them taught

and laws, they did not break.

Thou answeredst them, O Lord, our God,

thou wast a God that gave

alon to them, though on their deeds

thou wouldest vengeance have.

Do ye exalt the Lord, our God,

and at His holy hill

do ye him worship; for the Lord,

our God is holy still.

PSAL. C.

ALL people that on earth do dwell,

Sing to the Lord, with chearful voice.

Him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell,

come ye before Him and rejoyce.

PSALM C.

3 Know, that the Lord is God indeed,
Without our aid he did us make :
We are his flock, he doth us feed,
And for his sheep he doth us take.

4 O enter then his gates with praise,
Approach with joy his Courts unto :
Praise, land, and blesse his Name alwayes,
For it is seemly so to do:

5 For why ? the Lord our God is good,
His mercy is for ever sure :
His truth at all times firmly stood,
And shall from age to age endure.

Another of the same.

O All ye lands, unto the Lord,
make ye a joyful noise.

2 Serve God with gladnesse, him before
come with a singing voice.

3 Know ye the Lord, that he is God,
nor we, but he us made :

We are his people, and the sheep
within his pasture fed.

4 Enter his gates and Courts, with praise,
to thank him go ye thither :
To him expresse your thankfulnesse,
and blesse his Name together.

5 Because the Lord our God is good,
his mercy faileth never ;
And to all generations
his truth endureth ever.

PSALM CI.

I Mercy will and judgement sing,
Lord, I will sing to thee,

PSALM CL

With wisdom, in a perfect way
shall my behaviour be.
Thou in kindnesse unto me
wilt thou be pleas'd to come?
Thy perfect heart will walk
within my house at home.

I will endure no wicked thing
before mine eyes to be:
Neither their work that turn aside,
nor shall not cleave to me.
A stubborn and a froward heart
shall quite from me shall:
Neither shall I give to wickednesse
nor will not know at all.

I will send him off that slandereth
his neighbour privily:
A brawling heart I will not bear,
nor him that looketh high.
Upon the faithful of the land
mine eyes shall be, that they
may dwell with me: he shall me serve
and walk in perfect way.

Who of deceit a worker is,
my house shall not dwell:
In my presence shall he not
remain, that lies doth tell.
Yea, all the wicked of the land
I will destroy will I:
From Gods city to cut off,
that work iniquity.

PSALM CII

O Lord, unto my pray'r give ear,
my cry let come to thee :

2 And in the day of my distresse
hide not thy face from me.

Give ear to me : what time I call,
to answer me make haste,

3 For as an hearth my bones are burnt,
my dayes, like smoke, do waste.

4 My heart within me smitten is,
and it is withered,

Like very grasse, so that I do
forget to eat my bread.

5 By reason of my groaning voice,
my bones cleave to my skin,

6 Like pelican in wilderness
forsaken I have been.

I like an owl in desert am,
that nightly there doth moan :

7 I watch, and like a sparrow am
on the house top alone.

8 My bitter enemies all the day
reproaches cast on me :

And being mad at me with rage
against me sworn they be.

9 For why, I ashes eaten have
like bread, in sorrows deep ;

My drink I also mingled have
with tears that I did weep.

10 Thy wrath and indignation
did cause this grief and pain :

For thou hast lift me up on high,

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cast me down again.
My dayes are like unto a shade,
which doth declining passe:
I am dry'd and withered,
as like unto the grasse.
But thou, Lord, everlasting arr,
and thy remembrance shall
continually endure, and be
in generations all.

Thou shalt arise, and mercy have
upon thy Zion yet;
the time to favour her is come,
the time that thou hast set.
For in her rubbish, and her stones,
thy servants pleasure take;
they the very dust thereof
do favour for her sake.

So shall the heathen people fear
the Lords most holy Name;
all the Kings on earth shall dread
thy glory, and thy fame;
When Zion by the mighty Lord,
built up again shall be,
thy glory then, and majesty
to men appear shall He.

The prayer of the destitute
he surely will regard,
his prayer will he not despise,
by him it shall be heard.
For generations yet to come
this shall be on record;

PSALM CII

So shall the people that shall be
created, praise the Lord.

19 He from his Sanctuaries height
hath downward cast his eye,

And from his glorious Throne in heaven,
the Lord the earth did spy :

20 That of the mournful prisoner
the groanings he might hear,

To set them free that unto death
by men appointed are :

21 That they in Zion may declare
the Lords most holy Name,

And publish in Jerusalem
the praises of the same :

22 When as the people gather shall
in troops with one accord,

When kingdoms shall assembled be
to serve the highest Lord.

23 My wonted force and strength he hath
abated in the way :

And he my dayes hath shortened :

24 Thus therefore did I say,

My God, in mid-time of my dayes,
take thou me not away :

From age to age eternally
thy years endure and stay.

25 The firm foundation of the earth
of old time thou hast laid :

The heavens also are the work
which thine own hands have made :

26 Thou shalt for evermore endure,

PSALM CII.

but they shall perish all;
every one of them wax old,
like to a garment, shall:
as a vesture shalt them change,
and they shall changed be,
But thou the same art, and thy years
are to eternity.
The children of thy servants shall
continually endure,
in thy sight, O Lord, their seed
shall be establish'd sure.

Another of the same.

Ord, hear my pray'r, and let my cry
Have speedy access unto thee.
In day of my calamity
hide not thou thy face from me:
for when I call to thee, that day
answer speedily return:
My dayes like smoke consume away,
as a hearth, my bones do burn.

My heart is wounded very sore,
and withered like to grass doth fade:
I am forgetful grown therefore
to take and eat my daily bread.
By reason of my smart within,
and voice of my most grievous groans,
my flesh consumed is, my skin,
all parcht, doth cleave unto my bones.

The Pelican of wilderness,
the Owl in deserts I do match,
And Sparrow like companionless,

PSALM CII.

Upon the houses top I warch.

8 I all day long am made a scorn,
Reproach'd by my malicious foes:
The mad men are against me sworn,
The men against me that arose.

9 For I have ashes eaten up
To me as if they had been bread;
And with my drink I in my cup
Of bitter tears a mixture made.

10 Because thy wrath was not appeas'd
And dreadful indignation,
Therefore it was that thou me rais'd,
And thou again didst cast me down.

11 My dayes are like a shade alway,
Which doth declining swiftly passe:
And I am withered away
Much like unto the fading grasse.

12 But thou, O Lord, shalt still endure
From change and all mutation free,
And to all generations sure
Shall thy remembrance ever be.

13 Thou shalt arise, and mercy yet
Thou to mount Zion shalt extend:
Her time for favour which was set,
Behold, is now come to an end.

14 Thy saints take pleasure in her stones:
Her very dust to them is dear.

15 All heathen lands, and kingly thrones
On earth thy glorious Name shall fear.

16 God in his glory shall appear,
When Zion he builds and repairs.

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He shall regard and lend his ear
to the needies humble pray'rs.
Afflicteds pray'r he will not scorn:
All times this shall be in record,
all generations yet unborn
shall praise and magnifie the Lord.

He from his holy place look'd down,
the earth he view'd from heav'n on hie.
To hear the prisoners mourning groan,
and free them that are dam'd to die;
That Zion, and Jerusalem too
his Name and praise may well record,
when people and the kingdoms do
assemble all to praise the Lord.

My strength he weakned in the way,
my dayes of life he shortened.
My God, O take me not away
mid time of my dayes, I said;
my years throughout all ages last,
Of old thou hast established
the earths foundation firm and fast:
my mighty hands the heav'ns have made.

They perish shall, as garments do,
but thou shalt evermore endure:
vestures, thou shalt change them so
that they shall all be changed sure.
But from all changes thou art free,
thy endlesse years do last for ay.
Thy servants, and their seed who be
establish'd shall before thee stay.

PS A L M CIII.

O Thou my soul, bleſſe God the Lord,
and all that in me is.

Be ſtirred up, his holy Name
to magnifie and bleſſe.

2 Bleſſe O my ſoul, the Lord, thy God,
and not forgetful be

Of all his gracious benefits
he hath beſtow'd on thee.

3 All thine iniquities who doth
moſt graciously forgive:

Who thy diſeaſes all and pains
doth heal, and thee relieve.

4 Who doth redeem thy life, that thou
to death may not go down.

Who thee with loving kindneſſe doth
and tender mercies crown.

5 Who with abundance of good things
doth ſaſiſie thy mouth:

So that, ev'n as the Eagles age,
renewed is thy youth.

6 God righteous judgement executes,
for all opreſſed ones.

7 His way to Moſes, he his acts
made known to Iſraels ſons.

8 The Lord our God is merciful,
and he is gracious.

Long-ſuffering, and ſlow to wrath,
in mercy plenteous.

9 He will not chide continually,
nor keep his anger ſtill.

10 W. th us he dealt not as we ſin'd,

PSALM CIII.

Lord,
 God,
 How did require our ill.
 For as the heaven in its high
 the earth surmounteth far,
 great to those that do him fear,
 his tender mercies are.
 As far as East is distant from
 the West, so far hath he
 removed, in his love,
 all our iniquity.

Such pity as a father hath
 unto his children dear,
 his pity shews the Lord to such
 as worship him in fear.
 For he remembers we are dust,
 and he our frame well knows.
 Frail man, his dayes are like the grass,
 as flower in field he grows.

For over it the wind doth passe,
 and it away is gone,
 of the place where once it was
 it shall no more be known.
 But unto them that do him fear,
 Gods mercy never ends;
 to their childrens children still
 his righteousness extends.

To such as keep his covenant,
 and mindful are alway
 his most just commandments
 that they may them obey.
 The Lord prepared hark his Throne,
 in heaven firm to stand:

And

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And every thing that being hath
his kingdom doth command.

20 O ye his Angels, that excell
in strength, blesse ye the Lord,
Ye who obey what he commands,
and hearken to his word.

21 O blesse and magnifie the Lord,
ye glorious hosts of his,
Ye ministers, that do fulfil
what e're his pleasure is.

22 O blesse the Lord all ye his works
wherewith the world is stor'd:
In his dominions every where:
my soul blesse thou the Lord.

PSALM CIV.

Blesse God, my soul: O Lord, my God
thou art exceeding great,
With honour and with Majesty
thou clothed art in state.

2 With light, as with a robe, thy self
thou coverest about;
And like unto a curtain thou
the heavens stretchest out.

3 Who of his chambers doth the beams
within the waters lay;
Who doth the clouds his chariot make,
on wings of winde make way.

4 Who flaming fire his ministers,
his angels sp'rits doth make;

5 Who earths foundations did lay,
that it should never shake.

PSALM CIV.

Thou didst it cover with the deep,
as with a garment spread :
The waters flood above the hills,
when thou the word but said,
But, at the voice of thy rebuke
they fled, and would not stay :
They, at thy thunders dreadful voice
did haste them fast away.

They by the mountains do ascend,
and by the valley ground
Descend, unto that very place
which thou for them didst found.
Thou hast a bound unto them set,
that they may not passe over,
That they do not return again
the face of earth to cover.

He to the valleys sends the springs
which run among the hills :
They to all beasts of field give drink,
wilde asses drink their fill.
By them the fowls of heav'n shall have
their habitation,
Which do among the branches sing
with delectation.

He from his chambers watereth
the hills, when they are dry'd :
With fruit and increase of thy works
the earth is satisfi'd.

For cattel he makes grasse to grow,
he makes the herb to spring
For th' use of man, that food to him,

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he from the earth may bring.

15 And wine, that to the heart of man
doth cheerfulnesse impart,
Oil that his face makes shine, and bread
that strengtheneth his heart.

16 The trees of God are full of sap,
the Cedars that do stand
In Lebanon, which planted were
by his Almighty hand.

17 Birds of the air upon their boughs,
do choose their nests to make :

As for the Stork, the fir-trees she
doth for her dwelling take.

18 The lofty mountains for wilde goats
a place of refuge be :

The conies also to the rocks
do for their saferie flee.

19 He sets the Moon in heav'n, thereby
the seasons to discern :

From him the Sun, his certain time
of going down, doth learn.

20 Thou darknesse mak'st, 'tis night, then
of Forrests creep abroad. (beasts)

21 The Lions young roar for their prey,
and seek their meat from God.

22 The Sun doth rise, and home they flock,
down in their dens they ly.

23 Man goet to work, his labour he
doth to the evening ply.

24 How manifold, Lord, are thy works
in wisdom wonderful.

Thou

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Thou every one of them hast made; of
earth's of thy riches full.

29 So is this great and spacious sea,
wherin things creeping are
which numbred cannot be; and beasts
both great and small are there:

30 There ships go, there thou mak'st to play
that Leviathan great:

31 These all wait on thee, that thou may'st
in due time give them meat.

32 That, which thou givest unto them,
they gather for their food;

Thine hand thou op'nest liberally,
they filled are with good.

33 Thou hidst thy face, they troubled are,
their breath thou tak'st away.

Then do they die, and to their dust
return again do they.

34 Thy quickning Spirit thou sendest forth,
then they created be:

And then the earth decayed face
renewed is by thee.

35 The glory of the mighty Lord
continue shall for ever:

The Lord Jehovah shall rejoyce
in all his work together.

36 Earth as affrighted, trembleth all
if he on it but look.

And, if the mountains he but touch,
they presently do smoke.

37 I will sing to the Lord most high,
so

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so long as I shall live:
And while I being here, I shall
to my God praises give.

34 Of him my meditation shall
sweet thoughts to me afford;
And as for me, I will rejoyce
in God, my only Lord.

35 From earth let sinners be consum'd,
let ill men no more be.

O thou my soul, blesse thou the Lord:
praise to the Lord give ye.

P S A L M C V.

Give thanks to God, call on his Name,
to men his deeds make known.

2 Sing ye to him, sing psalms; proclaim
his wondrous works each one.

3 See that ye in his holy Name
to glory do accord:

And let the heart of every one
rejoyce, that seeks the Lord.

4 The Lord Almighty, and his strength,
with stedfast hearts seek ye:

His blessed and his gracious face
seek ye continually.

5 Think on the works that he hath done,
which admiration breed;

His wonders, and the judgements all
which from his mouth proceed.

6 O ye that are of Abrahams race,
his servant well approv'd,

And ye that Jacobs children are,
whom

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whom he choos'd for his own;
Because he, and he only is
the mighty Lord our God,
and his most righteous judgements are
in all the earth abroad.

His Covenant he remembered hath
that it may ever stand.

Thousand generations
the word he did command,
Which Covenant he firmly made
with faithful Abraham,
and unto Isaac, by his oath
he did renew the same.

And unto Jacob, for a law,
he made it firm and sure,
Covenant to Israel,
which ever should endure.

He said, I'll give Canaan's land
for heritage to you:

While they were strangers there, and few,
in number very few.

While yet they went from land to land
without a sure abode;

and while, through sundry kingdoms they
did wander far abroad:

Yet notwithstanding suffered he
no man to do them wrong:

for their sakes he did reprove
Kings, who were great and strong.

Thus did he say, Touch ye not those
that mine anointed be,

nor

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Nor do the Prophets any harm
that do pertain to me.

16 He call'd for famine on the land,
he brake the staff of bread.

17 But yet he sent a man before,
by whom they should be fed.

Ev'n Joseph, whom unnaturally
sell for a slave did they;

18 Whose feet with fetters they did hurt,
and he in irons lay:

19 Until the time that his word came
to give him liberty:

The word and purpose of the Lord,
did him in prison try.

20 Then sent the King, and did command
that he enlarg'd should be,

He that the peoples ruler was,
did send to set him free.

21 A Lord to rule his family,
he rais'd him as most fit;

To him, of all that he possess'd,
he did the charge commit.

22 That he might at his pleasure bind
the princes of the land

And he might teach his Senators
wisdom to understand.

23 The people then of Israel
down into Egypt came:

And Jacob also sojourn'd
within the land of Ham.

24 And he did greatly, by his pow'r

increase

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increase his people there ;
and stronger then their enemies
they by his blessing were.
Their heart he turned to envy
his folk maliciously ;
With those that his own servants were
to deal in subtilty.

His servant Moses he did send,
Aaron his chosen one ;
By these, his signes and wonders great,
in Hams land were made known.
Darknesse he sent, and made it dark,
his word they did obey
He turn'd their waters into blood,
and he their fish did slay.
The land in plenty brought forth frogs,
in chambers of their Kings.
His word all sorts of flies and lice
in all their borders brings.
He hail for rain, and flaming fire
into their land he sent :
And he their vines and fig-trees smote,
trees of their cotts he rent.
He spake and Caterpillars came
Locusts did much abound,
Which in their land all herbs consumed
and all fruits of their grounds.
He smote all first born in their land,
chief of their strength each one.
With gold and silver brought them forth
weak in their tribes were none.

PSALM CVI.

38 Egypt was glad when forth they went,
their fear on them did light.

39 He spread a cloud for covering,
and fire to shine by night.

40 They askt, and he brought Quails; which
of heav'n he filled them. (be)

41 He op'ned rocks, floods gush't, and ran
in deserts, like a stream.

42 For on his holy promise he,
and servant Abraham, thought.

43 With joy his people, his elect
with gladnesse forth he brought.

44 And unto them the pleasant lands
he of the heav'n gave,

That of the peoples labours they
inheritance might have;

45 That they his statutes might observe
according to his word.

And that they might his Laws obey.
Give praise unto the Lord.

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Give praise and thanks unto the Lord,
for bountiful is he;

His tender mercy doth endure
unto eternitie.

2 Gods mighty works who can expresse,
or shew forth all his praise?

3 Blessed are they that judgement keep,
and justly do alwayes.

4 Remember me, Lord, with that love,
which thou to thine dost bear:

With

PSALM CXL

thy salvation, O my God,
visit me draw near :
That I thy choicest good may see,
and in their joy rejoyce,
I may with thine inheritance
triumph with cheerful voice.

We with our fathers sinned have,
and of iniquity,
so long we have the workers been,
we have done wickedly.
The wonders great which thou, O Lord,
did'st work in Egypt land,
our fathers though they saw, yet them
they did not understand :

And they thy mercies multitude
kept not in memory,
at the sea, ev'n the Red-sea,
provok'd him grievously.
Nevertheless, he saved them;
ev'n for his own Names sake;
that so he might to be well known
his mighty power make.

When he the Red-sea did rebuke,
then dryed up it was :
through deeps, as through the wilderness,
he safely made them passe.
From hands of those that hated them
he did his people save,
and from the enemies cruel hand
to them redemption gave.

The waters overwhelm'd their foes,
not

PSALM CXL.

not one was left alive :

12 Then they believ'd his word, and praise
to him in songs did give.

13 But soon did they his mighty works
forget unthankfully,

And on his counsel and his will
did not wait patiently.

14 But much did lust in wildernesse,
and God in desert rempt.

15 He gave them what they sought, but to
their spite he leannesse sent.

16 And against Moses, in the camp,
their envy did appear,

At Aaron they, the saint of God,
envious also were.

17 Therefore the earth did open wide,
and Dathan did devour,

And all Abirams company
did cover in that hour.

18 Likewise among their company
a fire was kindled then,

And so the hot consuming flame
burnt up these wicked men.

19 Upon the hill of Horeb, they
an idol calf did frame,

A molten image they did make,
and worshipp'd the same.

20 And thus their glory, and their God,
most vainly changed they

Into the likenesse of an ox
that eateth grasse or hay.

21 They

PSALM CXL.

They did forget the mighty God,
that had their Saviour been,
whom such great things brought to passe,
they had in Egypt seen.

In Hams land he did wondrous works :
things terrible did he,
then he his mighty hand and arm
stretcht out at the Red-sea.

Then said he, he would them destroy
had not, his wrath to stay,
chosen Moses stood in breach,
that them he should not slay.

Yea, they despis'd the pleasant land,
believed not his word ;
But in their tents they murmured
not hearkning to the Lord.

Therefore in desart, them to slay
he lifted up his hand :
Among nations to o'rethrow their seed,
and scatter in each land.

They unto Bael Peor did
themselves associate :
Sacrifices of the dead
they did prophanely eat.

Thus, by their lewd inventions
they did provoke his ire ;
and then upon them suddenly
the plague brake in, as fire.
Then Phineas rose, and justice did,
and so the plague did cease :
That to all ages counted was

PSALM CVI.

to him for righteousnesse.

32 And at the waters where they strove
they did him angry make,
In such sort, that it fared ill
with Moses for their sake.

33 Because they there his spirit meek
provoked bitterly,
So that he uttered with his lips
words unadvisedly.

34 Nor, as the Lord commanded them
did they the nations slay ;

35 But with the heathen mingled were,
and learn'd of them their way.

36 And they their idols serv'd, which did
a feare unto them turn ;

37 Their sons and daughters they to devils
in sacrifice did burn.

38 In their own childrens guiltlesse blood
their hands they did embrew,

Whom to Canaan's idols they
for sacrifices flew.

So was the land defil'd with blood ;

39 They stain'd with their own way,
And with their own inventions
a whoring they did stray.

40 Against his people kindled was
the wrath of God therefore,
Insomuch that he did his own
inheritance abhore.

41 He gave them to the heathens hand,
their foes did them command :

P S A L M C V I I.

Their enemies them oppress, they were
made subject to their hand.

He many times delivered them,
not with their counsel so
by him provok'd, that for their sin
they were brought very low:

Yet their affliction he beheld,
when he did hear their cry:

And he for them his Covenant
did call to memory:

For his mercies multitude

He did repent; and made
them to be ply'd of all those
who them did captive lead.

O Lord, our God, us save and gather
the heathen from among,

That we thy holy Name may praise
in a triumphant song.

Blessed be Jehovah, Israel's God,
for all eternity:

And all the people say, Amen.

Praise to the Lord give ye.

P S A L M C V I I.

Praise God, for he is good, for still
his mercies lasting be.

Let Gods redeem'd say so, whom he
from th' enemies hand did free:

And gathered them out of the lands,
from North, South, East, and West,

They stray'd in deserts pathless way,
no city found to rest.

PSALM CXXI.

- 5 For thirst and hunger in them faired,
6 their souls. When straits them pressed,
They cry unto the Lord, and he
them frees from their distress.
- 7 Them also in a way to walk,
that right is, he did guide,
That they might to a city go,
wherein they might abide.
- 8 O that men to the Lord would give
praise for his goodnesse then,
And for his works of wonder done
unto the sons of men.
- 9 For he the soul that longing is
doth fully satisfy,
With goodnesse he the hungry soul
doth fill abundantly.
- 10 Such as shut up in darknesse deep,
and in deaths shade abide,
Whom strongly hath affliction bound,
and irons fast have ty'd.
- 11 (Because against the words of God,
they wrought rebelliously,
And they the counsell did contemn
of him that is most hie)
- 12 Their heart he did bring down with grief,
they fell, no help could have.
- 13 In trouble then they cry'd to God,
he them from straits did save.
- 14 He out of darknesse did them bring,
and from deaths shade them take.

The

the bands wherewith they had been bound
in sunder quite he brake.

O that men to the Lord would give
praise for his goodnesse then,
for his works of wonder done
unto the sons of men.

Because the mighty gates of brasse
in pieces he did tear,
him in sunder also cut
the bars of iron were.

Fools for their sin and their offence
do sore affliction bear.

All kind of meat their soul abhors,
they to deaths gates draw near.

In grief they cry to God, he saves
them from their miseries :

He sends his word, them heals, and them
from their destructions frees.

O that men to the Lord would give
praise for his goodnesse then,

for his works of wonder done
unto the sons of men.

And let them sacrifice to him
offerings of thankfulness,

let them shew abroad his works,
in songs of joyfulness.

Who go to sea in ships, and in
great waters trading be,

Within the deep these men Gods works,
and his great wonders see.

For he commands, and forth in haste

the stormy tempest flies,
Which makes the sea with rousing waves
aloft to swell and rise.

26 They mount to heav'n, then to the depth
they do go down again.

Their soul doth faint, and melt away
with trouble and with pain.

27 They reel and stagger like one drunk,
at their wits end they be :

28 Then they to God in trouble cry,
who them from straits doth free.

29 The storm is chang'd into a calm,
at his command and will,

So that the waves which rag'd before,
now quiet are and still.

30 Then are they glad, because at rest
and quiet now they be,

So to the haven he them brings
which they desir'd to see.

31 O that men to the Lord would give
praise for his goodnesse then,

And for his works of wonder dote
onto the sons of men.

32 Among the people gathered,
let them exalt his Name :

Among assembled Elders spread
his most renowned fame.

33 He to dry land turns water springs,
and floods to wilderness :

34 For sins of those that dwell therein,
far land to barrennesse.

PSALM CVII.

The burnt and parched wilderness
to water pools He brings,
the ground that was dri'd up before,
He turns to water-springs.

And there, for dwelling, he a place
doth to the hungry give :
that they a city may prepare,
commodiously to live.

There sow they fields, and vineyards plant
to yeeld fruits of increase.

His blessing makes them multiply,
let not their beasts decrease.

Again they are diminished,
and very low brought down
through sorrow and affliction,
and great oppression.

He upon Princes pours contempt,
and tumbled them to stray,
and wander in a wilderness,
wherein there is no way.

Yet setteth he the poor on high
from all his miseries ;

and he, much like unto a flock,
doth make him families.

They that are righteous shall rejoyce
when they the same shall see ;

and, as ashamed, stop her mouth
shall all iniquity.

Who so is wise, and will these things
observe, and them record,

PSALM CVIII.

Ev'n they shall understand the love
and kindnesse of the Lord.

P S A L. CVIII:

MY heart is fixt, Lord: I will sing,
and with my glory praise.

2 Awake up psaltery and harp,
my self I'll early raise.

3 I'll praise thee 'mongst the people, Lord,
'mong nations sing will I.

4 For above heav'n thy mercies great,
thy truth doth reach the sky.

5 Be thou above the heavens, Lord,
exalted gloriously;

Thy glory all the earth above
be lifted up on high.

6 That those who thy beloved are
delivered may be;

O do thou save with thy right hand,
and answer give to me.

7 God in his holinesse hath said,
'herein I will take pleasure,

Shechem I will divide and forch
will Succoths valley measure;

8 Gilead I claim as mine by right,
Manasseh mine shall be.

Ephraim is of my head the strength,
Judah gives lawes for me.

9 Moab's my washing-pot, my shoe
I'll over Edom throw:

Over the land of Palestine
I will in triumph go.

PSALM CIX.

O who is he will bring me to
the city fortified :

who is he that to the land
of Edom will me guide :

O God, thou who hadst cast us off,
this thing wilt thou not do :

and wilt not thou, ev'n thou, O God,
go forth with our armies :

Do thou from trouble give us help,
for helpless is man's aid :

Through God we shall do valiantly,
our foes he shall downtread.

PSALM CIX.

O Thou the God of all my praise
do thou not hold thy peace :

For months of wicked men, to speak
against me do not cease :

The mouths of vile deceitful men
against me opened be :

And with a false and lying tongue
they have accused me.

They did beset me round about
with words of hateful spight :

And though to them no cause I gave,
against me they did fight.

They for my love became my foes,
but I me set to pray.

Evil for good, hatred for love
to me they did repay.

Set thou the wicked over him,
and upon his right hand

PSALM CIX.

Give thou his greatest enemy
ev'n Satan, leave to stand.

7 And when by thee he shall be judg'd,
let him condemned be;

And let his pray'r be turn'd to sin,
when he shall call on thee.

8 Few be his dayes, and in his roow,
his charge another take.

9 His children let be fatherlesse,
his wife a widow make.

10 His children let be vagabonds,
and beg continually;

And from their places desolate
seek bread for their supply.

11 Let covetous extortioners
catch all he hath away:

Of all for which he labour'd hath,
let strangers make a prey.

12 Let there be none to pity him,
let there be none at all

That on his children fatherlesse
will let his mercy fall.

13 Let his posterity from earth
cut off for ever be;

And in the following age their name
be blotted out by thee.

14 Let God his fathers wickednesse
still to remembrance call;

And never let his mothers sin
be blotted out at all.

15 But let them all before the Lord,

appear

PSALM CIX.

appear continually,
that he may wholly from the earth
cut off their memory.

Because he mercy minded not
but persecuted still
the poor and needy, that he might
the broken hearted kill.

As he in cursing pleasure took,
so let it to him fall;
he delighted not to blesse,
so blesse him not at all.

As cursing he like cloaths put on,
into his bowels so
water, and into his bones
like oyl down let it go.

Like to that garment let it be
which doth himself aray,
and for a girdle wherewith he
is girt about alway;

From God let this be their reward:
that enemies are to me,
and their reward, that speak against
my soul maliciously.

But do thou for thine own Names sake,
O God the Lord, for me:
with good and sweet thy mercy is
from trouble set me free.

For I am poor and indigent,
afflicted sore am I,
my heart within me also is
wounded exceedingly.

PSALM CIX.

- 23 I passe like a declining shade,
am like the locust tost.
- 24 My knees through fasting weakned are
my flesh hath farnesse lost.
- 25 I also am a vile reproach
unto them made to be :
And they that did upon me look
did shake their heads at me.
- 26 O do thou help and succour me,
who art my God and Lord :
And for thy tender mercies sake,
safety to me afford.
- 27 That thereby they may know that this
is thy Almighty hand,
And that thou, Lord, hast done the same,
they may well understand.
- 28 Although they curse with spite; yet, Lord,
blesse thou with loving voice :
Let them asham'd be when they rise :
thy servant let rejoyce.
- 29 Let thou mine aduersaries all
with shame be cloathed over,
And let their own confusion
them, as a mantle, cover.
- 30 But as for me, I with my mouth
will greatly praise the Lord ;
And I among the multitude
his praises will records.
- 31 For he shall stand at his right hand
who is in poverty,

PSALM CX.

Save him from all those that would,
condemn his soul to die.

PSALM CX.

He Lord did say unto my Lord,

Sit thou at my right hand

til I make thy foes a stool

whereon thy feet may stand.

The Lord shall out of Zion send

the rod of thy great pow'r :

midst of all thine enemies

be thou the Governour.

A willing people, in thy day

of pow'r shall come to thee,

holy beauties, from morn'g womb

thy youth like dew shall be.

The Lord himself hath made an oath

and will repent him never,

Of th' order of Melchisedek

thou art a Priest for ever.

The glorious and mighty Lord,

that sits at thy right hand

shall, in his day of wrath, strike through

Kings, that do him withstand.

He shall among the heathen judge,

he shall with bodies dead

The places fill, o're many lands ;

he wound shall every head.

The brook that runneth in the way

with drink shall him supply :

And for this cause in triumph he

shall lift his head on high.

PSALM

PSALM CXII

Praise ye the Lord : with my whole heart
I will Gods praise declare,
Where the assemblies of the just
and congregations are.

2 The whole works of the Lord our God
are great above all measure,
Sought out they are of every one
that do therein take pleasure.

3 His works most honourable is,
most glorious and pure,
And his unstained righteousness
for ever doth endure.

4 His works most wonderful he hath
made to be thought upon:
The Lord is gracious, and he is
full of compassion.

5 He giveth meat unto all those
that truly do him fear;
And evermore his Covenant
he in his minde will bear.

6 He did the power of his works
unto his people show,
When he the heathens heritage
upon them did bestow.

7 His handy works are truth and right :
all his commands are sure ;
And done in truth and uprightnesse,
they evermore endure.

He sent redemption to his folk,
his Covenant for ay
he did command : holy his Name

and

PSALM CXII.

and reverend is alway.

Wisdoms beginning is Gods fear :
good understanding they
have all, that his commands fulfill :
his praise endures for ay.

PSALM CXII.

Praise ye the Lord. The man is blest
that fears the Lord aright,
who in his commandements
doth greatly take delight.
His seed and off-spring powerful,
shall be the earth upon :
Upright men blessed shall be
the generation.

Riches and wealth shall ever be
within his house in store :
And his unsportted righteousness
endures for evermore.
Unto the upright light doth rise,
though he in darknesse be :
Compassionate and merciful,
and righteous is he.

A good man doth his favour shew,
and doth to others lend :
He with discretion his affairs
will guide unto the end :
Surely there is not any thing
that ever shall him move :
The righteous mans memorial
shall everlasting prove.

PSALM CXII.

- 7 When he shall evil tidings hear,
he shall not be afraid;
His heart is fixt, his confidence
upon the Lord is staid.
- 8 His heart is firmly stablished,
afraid he shall not be
Untill upon his enemies
he his desire shall see.
- 9 He hath dispers't, giv'n to the poor,
his righteousness shall be
To ages all; with honour shall
his horn be rais'd high.
- 10 The wicked shall it see, and fret,
his teeth gnash, melt away;
What wicked men do most desire
shall utterly decay.

PSAL. CXIII.

- P**raise God: ye servants of the Lord,
O praise, the Lords Name praise.
- 2 Yea, blessed be the Name of God
from this time forth alwayes.
 - 3 From rising sun, to where it sets,
Gods Name is to be prais'd.
 - 4 Above all nations God is high,
'bove heav'n his glory rais'd.
 - 5 Unto the Lord, our God, that dwells
on high, who can compare?
 - 6 Himself that humbleth things to see
in heav'n and earth that are.
 - 7 He from the dust doth raise the poor,
that very low did ly,

PSALM CXIV.

And from the dung-hill lifts the man
opprest with poverty.

That he may highly him advance,
and with the Princes set,
with those that of his people are
the chief, ev'n Princes great.
The barren woman house to keep
hemaketh, and to be
sons a mother full of joy,
praise to the Lord give ye.

P S A L. CXIV.

When Isra'el out of Egypt went,
and did his dwelling change.
When Jacobs house went out from those
that were of language strange,
He Judah did his Sanctuary,
his kingdom Israel make :
The serf it saw and quickly fled,
Jordan was driven back.

Like rams the mountains, and like lambs
the hills skipt to and fro :

O sea why fledst thou ? Jordan back
why wast thou driven so ?

Ye mountains great, wherefore was it
that ye did skipt like rams ?

And wherefore was it, little hills,
that ye did leap like lambs ?

O at the presence of the Lord
earth tremble thou for fear,
While as the presence of the God
of Jacob doth appear.

8 Who

PSALM CXV.

8 Who from the hard and stony rock
did standing water bring,
And by his pow'r did turn the flint
into a water spring.

PSAL. CXV.

Not unto us, Lord, not to us,
but do thou glory take
Unto thy Name, ev'n for thy truth
and for thy mercies sake.

2 O wherefore should the heathen say,
Where is their God now gone?

3 But our God in the heavens is,
what pleas'd him he hath done.

4 Their idols silver are and gold,
work of mens hands they be:

5 Mouths have they, but they do not speak,
and eyes but do not see.

6 Ears have they, but they do not hear,
noses, but savour not:

7 Hands, feet, but handle not, nor walk,
nor speak they through their throats.

8 Like them their makers are, and all
on them their trust that build,

9 O Israel, trust thou in the Lord,
he is their help and shield.

10 O Aarons house trust in the Lord,
their help and shield is he,

11 Ye that fear God, trust in the Lord,
their help and shield he'll be.

12 The Lord of us hath mindful been,
and he will blesse us still,

PSALM CXV

will the house of Isra'l blesse,
blesse Aarons house he will.

Both small and great that fear the Lord,
he will them surely blesse.

The Lord will you, you and your seed,
ay more and more encrease.

O blessed are ye of the Lord,
who made the earth and heaven.

The heav'n, ev'n heav'n's are Gods, but he
earth to mens sons hath given.

The dead, nor who to silence go,
Gods praise do not record.

But henceforth we for ever will
blesse God. Praise ye the Lord.

PSALM CXVI.

Love the Lord, because my voice
and prayers he did hear.

I, while I live, will call on him,
who bow'd to me his ear.

Of death the cords, and sorrows did
about me compasse round,

the pains of hell took hold on me,
I grief and trouble found.

Upon the Name of God, the Lord
then did I call; and say,

deliver thou my soul, O Lord,

I do thee humbly pray.

God mercifull and righteous is,

yes, gracious is our Lord.

God saves the meek: I was brought low,
he did me help afford.

PSALM CXVI.

- 7 O thou my soul, do thou return
unto thy quietrest.
For largely, to the Lord to the
his bounty hath exprest.
- 8 For my distressed soul from death
delivered was by thee,
Thou didst my mourning eyes from tears,
my feet from falling free.
- 9 I in the land of those that live
will walk the Lord before:
- 10 I did believe, therefore I spake:
I was afflicted sore.
- 11 I said when I was in my haste,
that all men liars be,
- 12 What shall I render to the Lord,
for all his gifts to me?
- 13 I'll of salvation take the cup,
on Gods Name will I call.
- 14 I'll pay my vows now to the Lord,
before his people all.
- 15 Dear in Gods sight is his saints death,
16 Thy servant, Lord, am I,
Thy servant sure, thine hand-maids son:
my hands thou didst dry.
- 17 Thank-offerings I to thee will give,
and on Gods Name will call.
- 18 I'll pay my vows now to the Lord,
before his people all.
- 19 Within the courts of Gods own house,
within the midst of thee,

P S A L M CXVI.

City of Ierusalem.

Praise to the Lord give ye.

P S A L CXVII.

Give ye praise unto the Lord,

all nations that be :

likewise, ye people all, accord

his Name to magnifie.

For great to us ward ever are

his loving kindnesse :

his truth endures for evermore.

The Lord, O do ye blesse.

P S A L CXVIII.

Praise the Lord, for he is good :

his mercy lasteth ever.

Let those of Israel now say,

his mercy faileth never.

Now let the house of Aaron say

his mercy lasteth ever.

Let those that fear the Lord, now say

his mercy faileth never.

I in distresse call'd on the Lord :

the Lord did answer me,

in a large place did me set,

from trouble made me free.

The mighty Lord is on my side,

I will not be afraid :

for any thing that man can do

I shall not be dismayd.

The Lord doth take my part with them

that help to succour me :

therefore on those that do me hate

PSALM CXVII.

I my desire shall see.

8 Better it is to trust in God,
then trust in mans defence?

9 Better to trust in God, then make
Princes our confidence.

10 The nations, joyning all in one,
did compasse me about:

But in the Lords most holy Name
I shall them all root out.

11 They compass me about, I say,
they compass me about:

But in the Lords most holy Name
I shall them all root out.

12 Like Bees they compass me about?
like unto thorns that flame.

They quenched are: for them shall I
destroy in Gods own Name.

13 Thou sore hast thrust, that I might fall,
but my Lord helped me.

14 God my salvation is become,
my strength and song is he.

15 In dwellings of the righteous
is heard the melody

Of joy and health: the Lords right hand
doth ever valiantly.

16 The right hand of the mighty Lord
exalted is on hy:

The right hand of the mighty Lord,
doth ever valiantly.

17 I shall not die, but live, and shall
the works of God discover,

18 The

PSALM CXXXIV
The Lord hath me chastised sore,
but not to death given over.

O set ye open unto me
the gates of righteousness :

then will I enter into them,
and I the Lord will bless.

This is the gate of God, by it
the just shall enter in.

Thee will I praise, for thou me heardst
and hast my safety bin.

That stone is made head corner-stone,
which builders did despise :

This is the doing of the Lord,
and wondrous in our eyes.

This is the day God made, in it
we'll joy triumphantly.

Save now I pray thee, Lord, I pray
send now prosperity.

Blessed is he, in Gods great Name,
that cometh us to save.

We, from the house which to the Lord
pertains, you blessed have.

God is the Lord, who unto us
hath made light to arise :

made ye unto the altars horns,
with cords the sacrifice.

Thou art my God, I'll thee exalt :
my God, I will thee praise.

Give thanks to God, for he is good,
his mercy lasts alwayes.

PSAL.

A L E P H.

The first part.

Blessed are they that undefil'd,
and straight are in the way :
Who in the Lords most holy Law
do walk and do not stray.

2 Blessed are they, who to observe
his statutes are inclin'd ;
And who do seek the living God
with their whole heart and mindes

3 Such in his wayes do walk, and they
do no iniquity :

4 Thou hast commanded us to keep
thy precepts carefully.

5 O that thy statutes to observe
thou wouldst my wayes direct :

6 Then shall I not be sham'd, when I
thy precepts all respect.

7 Then with integrity of heart
thee will I praise and blesse,
When I the judgements all have learn'd,
of thy pure righteousness.

8 That I will keep thy statutes all
firmly resolv'd have I :

O do not then most gracious God,
forsake me utterly.

B E T H.

The 2. part.

9 By what means shall a young man learn
his way to purify?

If he according to thy word
therein attentive be.

10 Unsaindly thee have I sought

with

with all my soul and heart :
Let me not from the right path
of thy commands depart.

Thy word I in my heart have hid,
that I offend not thee.

O Lord, thou ever blessed art,
thy statutes teach thou me:

The judgements of thy mouth each one;
my lips declared have:

More joy thy testimonies way
then riches all, me gave.

I will thy holy precepts make
my meditation:

carefully I'll have respect
into thy wayes each one.

Upon thy statutes my delight
shall constantly be set:

and by thy grace I never will
thy holy word forget.

G I M E E.

The 3^d part.

With me thy servant in thy grace,
deal bountifully, Lord:

that by thy favour I may live,
and duly keep thy word.

Open mine eyes, that of thy Law,
the wonders I may see.

I am a stranger on this earth,
hide not thy Laws from me.

My soul within me breaks, and doth
much fainting still endure,

through longing that it hath all times,
unto

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unto thy judgements pure.

21 Thou hast rebuk'd the cursed proud,
who from thy precepts swerve.

22 Reproach and shame remove from me,
for I thy Laws observe.

23 Against me Princes spake with spite
while they in counsel sat :

But I, thy servant did upon
thy statutes meditate.

24 My comfort, and my hearts delight
thy testimonies be,

And they in all my doubts and fears,
are counsellors to me.

DALETH.

The 4. part

25 My soul to dust cleaves, quicken me
according to thy word.

26 My wayes I shew'd, and me thou heardst
teach me thy statutes, Lord.

27 The way of thy commandments
make me a right to know :

So all thy works, that wondrous are
I shall to others show.

28 My soul doth melt, and drop away
for heaviness and grief :

To me according to thy word,
give strength and send relief.

29 From me the wicked way of lies,
let far removed be,

And graciously thy holy Law
do thou grant unto me.

30 I chosen have the perfect way

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truth and verity,
 thy judgements that most righteous are
 before me laid have I.
 I to thy testimonies cleave:
 shame do not on me cast.
 I'll run thy precepts way, when thou
 my heart enlarged hast.

H. E.

The 5. parts

Teach me, O Lord, the perfect way
 of thy precepts divine,
 that to observe it to the end
 shall my heart incline.
 Give understanding unto me,
 that keep thy law shall I;
 yea, ev'n with my whole heart I shall
 observe it carefully.

In thy laws path make me to go,
 for I delight therein.
 My heart unto thy testimonies,
 and not to greed incline.
 Turn thou away my sight and eyes,
 from viewing vanity:
 and in thy good and holy way
 be pleas'd to quicken me.

Confirm to me thy gracious word
 which I did gladly hear,
 into thy servant, Lord, who is
 devoted to thy fear.
 Turn thou away my fear'd reproach,
 for good thy judgements be.
 Lo, for thy precepts I have long'd:

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in thy truth quicken me.

VAV.

The 6. part.

41 Let thy sweet mercies also come,
and visit me, O Lord :

Ev'n thy benign salvation,
according to thy word.

42 So shall I have wherewith I may
give him an answer just,

Who spitefully reproacheth me:
for in thy word I trust.

43 The word of truth out of my mouth
take thou not prierly :

For on thy judgements righteous
my hope doth still rely.

44 So shall I keep for evermore;
thy law continually :

45 And such that I thy precepts seek,
I'll walk at liberty.

46 I'll speak thy word to Kings, and
with shame shall not be mov'd :

47 And will delight my self alwayes
in thy laws, which I lov'd :

48 To thy commandments which I lov'd
my hands lift up I will :

And I will also meditate
upon thy statutes still.

ZAIN.

The 7. part.

49 Remember, Lord, thy gracious word
thou ro thy servant spake,

Which for a ground of my sure hope
thou caus'dst me to take.

PSALM CXXXI.

This word of thine my comfort is
in my affliction :
in my straits I am reviv'd
by this thy word alone.

The men whose hearts with pride are
did greatly me deride : (Ruff'd,
from thy straight commandments
I have not turn'd aside.
Thy judgements righteous, O Lord,
which thou of old forth gave,
I remember, and my self
by them comforted have.

Horror took hold on me, because
ill men thy Laws for sake,
I in my house of pilgrimage
thy Laws my songs do make.

Thy Name by night, Lord, I did minde
and I have kept thy Law :
And this I had because thy word,
I kept and stood in awe,

CHETH.

The 8. part.

Then my sure portion art alone
which I did choose, O Lord :

I have resolv'd and said, that I
would keep thy holy word.

With my whole heart I did intreat
thy face and favour free :

According to thy gracious word,
be merciful to me.

I thought upon my former wayes,
and did my life well try :

And to thy testimonies pure
my feet then turned I:

60 I did not stay, nor linger long,
as those that slothful are;

But hastily thy laws to keep
my self I did prepare.

61 Bands of all men me rob'd; yet
thy precepts did not slight;

62 I'll rise at midnight, thee to praise,
even for thy judgement right.

63 I am companion to all those,
who fear and thee obey:

64 O Lord, thy mercy fills the earth,
teach me thy Laws I pray.

THE XXII. The 9. part.

65 Well hast thou with thy servant dealt,
as thou didst promise give.

66 Good judgment me and knowledge teach
for I thy word believe.

67 Ere I afflicted was, I said,
I'll keep thy word.

68 Both good thou art, and good thou dost
teach me thy statutes, Lord.

69 The men that are puff'd up with pride
against me forg'd a lie:

Yet thy commandments observe
with my whole heart will I.

70 Their hearts through worldly ease and
as far as they be: (wealth)

But in thy holy Law I take
delight continually.

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It hath been very good for me,
that I afflicted was,
but I might well instructed be,
and learn thy holy laws.
The word that cometh from thy mouth
is better unto me,
then many thousands and great sums
of gold and silver be.

30 D.

The 10. part.

Thou madst and fashionedst me, thy laws
to know give wisdom, Lord:
So who thee fear, shall joy to see,
me trusting in thy word.

That very right thy judgements are
I know and do confesse,
that thou hast afflicted me,
in truth and faithfulnesse,

O let thy kindnesse merciful,
I pray thee comfort me:

And thy servant faithfully,
was promised by thee:

And let thy tender mercies come
to me, that I may live:

Because thy holy lawes to me
sweet delectation give.

Lord, let the proud ashamed be:

for they, without a cause,
with me perversly dealt: But

will muse upon thy laws.

Let such as fear thee, and have known
thy statutes, turn to me,

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80 My heart lies in thy laws be sound,
that sham'd I never be.

CAPH. *The 11. part.*

81 My soul for thy salvation faints :
yet I thy word believe.

82 Mine eyes fail for thy word : I say,
When wilt thou comfort give?

83 For like a bottle I'm become,
that in the smoke is set :

I'm black and parcht with grief, yet I
thy statutes not forget.

84 How many are thy servants dayes?
when wilt thou execute

Just judgement on these wicked men
that do me persecute?

85 The proud have digg'd pits for me,
which is against thy laws.

86 Thy words all faithful are, help me
pursu'd without a cause.

87 They so consurm'd me that on earth
my life they scarce did leave;

Thy precepts yet forsook I not,
but close to them I cleave.

88 After thy loving kindnesse, Lord,
me quicken, and preserve;

The testimony of thy mouth
so shall I still observe.

L A M M D. *The 12. part.*

89 Thy word for ever is, O Lord,
in heaven settled fast;

90 Unto all generations

PSALM CXXX.

thy faithfulness doth last;
the earth thou hast established
and it abides by thee;
This day they stand, as thou ordain'd
for all thy servants be.

Unless in thy most perfect Law
my soul delights had found,
should have perished when as
my troubles did abound.

Thy precepts I will nev'r forget;
they quickening to me brought.
Lord, I am thine; O save thou me;
thy precepts I have sought.

For me the wicked have laid wait,
me seeking to destroy;
But thy testimonies true
consider will with joy.

An end of all perfection
here have I seen, O God;
as for thy commandment
it is exceeding broad.

MEM. The 13. part.

O how love I thy law? it is
my study all the day;

It makes me wiser then my foes;
for it doth with me stay.

Then all my teachers, now I have
more understanding far;
Because my meditation
thy testimonies are.

In understanding I excell,

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those that are ancients ;

For I endeavour'd to keep
all thy commandments.

101 My feet from each ill way I stay'd,
that I may keep thy word.

102 I from thy judgements have not swerv'd
for thou hast taught me, Lord.

103 How sweet unto my taste, O Lord,
are all thy words of truth ;

Yea, I do find them sweeter far,
then honey to my mouth.

104 I through thy precepts that are pure
do understanding get :

I therefore every way that's false
with all my heart do hate.

N U N. *The 14. part*

105 Thy word is to my feet a lamp,
and to my path a light :

106 I sworn have, and I will perform
to keep thy judgements right.

107 I am with sore affliction
ev'n overwhelm'd, O Lord :

In mercy raise, and quicken me,
according to thy word.

108 The free-will offerings of my mouth
accept I thee beseech :

And unto me thy servant, Lord,
thy judgements clearly teach.

109 Though still my soul be in my hand,
thy Laws I'll not forget.

110 I err'd not from them, though for me,
the

PSALM CXXIV

the wicked snares did set.

11 I of thy testimonies have
above all things made choice,

to be my heritage for ay;
for they my heart rejoyce.

12 I carefully inclined have
my heart, still to attend,

that I thy statutes may perform
alway unto the end.

SAME CH.

The 15. part.

13 I hate the thoughts of vanity,
but love thy Law do I.

14 My shield and hiding place thou art,
on thy word rely.

15 All ye that evil doers are,
from me depart away:

for the commandments of my God,
I purpose to obey.

16 According to thy faithful word
uphold and stablish me,

that I may live; and of my hope
ashamed never be.

17 Hold thou me up, so shall I be
in peace and safety still,

and to thy statutes have respect
continually I will.

18 Thou treadst down all that love to stray,
false their deceit doth prove:

19 Lewd men, like dross, away thou purst,
therefore thy Law I love.

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120 For fear of thee my very flesh
doth tremble, all dismay'd;
And of thy righteous judgements, Lord,
my soul is much afraid.

AL N. The 16. part.

121 To all men I have judgement done
performing justice right;
Then let me not be left unto
my fierce oppressours might.

122 For good unto thy servant, Lord,
thy servants surety be:

From the oppression of the proud
do thou deliver me.

123 Mine eyes do fail with looking long
for thy salvation,
The word of thy pure righteousness,
while I do wait upon.

124 In mercy with thy servant deal,
thy Lawes me teach and show:

125 I am thy servant, wisdom give
that I thy Lawes may know.

126 It's time thou work, Lord, for they have
made void thy Law divine:

127 Therefore thy precepts more I love
then gold, yea gold most fine.

128 Concerning all things thy commands
all right I judge therefore:

And every false and wicked way
I perfectly abhorre.

PE. The 17. part.

129 Thy statutes, Lord, are wonderful

PSALM CXXI

my soul them keeps with care:

130 The entrance of thy words gives light,
makes wise who simple are:

131 My mouth I have wide opened;
and panted earnestly,
while after thy commandments
I long'd exceedingly.

132 Look on me, Lord, and merciful
do thou unto me prove:

As thou art wont to do to those,
thy Name who truly love.

133 O let my footsteps in thy word,
aright still ordered be:

Let no iniquity obtain
dominion over me.

134 From mans oppression save thou me,
so keep thy Laws I will.

135 Thy face make on thy servant shine,
reach me thy statutes full.

136 Rivers of waters from mine eyes
did run down, when I saw

How wicked men run on in sin,
and do not keep thy Law.

TSADDI. The 18. part

137 O Lord, thou art most righteous,
thy judgements are upright.

138 Thy testimonies thou command'st
most faithful are and right.

139 My zeal hath ev'n consumed me,
because mine enemies

Thy holy words forgotten have,

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and do thy Laws despise.

140 Thy words most pure, therefore on it
thy servants love is set.

141 Small and despis'd I am, yet I
thy precepts not forget.

142 Thy righteousness, is righteousness
which ever doth endure :

Thy holy Law, Lord, also is
the very truth most pure.

143 Trouble and anguish have me found
and taken hold on me :

Yet in my trouble my delight
thy just commandments be.

144 Eternal righteousness is in
thy testimonies all :

Lord, to me understanding give,
and ever live I shall.

K O P H.

The 19 part.

145 With my whole heart I cry'd, Lord, hear,
I will thy word obey.

146 I cry'd to thee, save me, and I
will keep thy Laws alway.

147 I of the morning did prevent
the dawning, and did cry :

For all my expectation
did on thy word rely.

148 Mine eyes did timously prevent
the watches of the night :

That in thy word with careful mind
then meditate I might.

149 After thy loving kindnesse, hear

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my voice that calls on thee woe 222 222

According to thy judgement, Lord,
revive and quicken me.

150 Who follow mischief, they draw nigh,
they from thy laws are far.

151 But thou art near, Lord: most firm truth
all thy commandments are.

152 As for thy testimonies all,
of old this have I try'd,

That thou hast surely founded them,
for ever to abide.

R E S H. The 20. part.

153 Consider mine affliction,
in safety do me see:

Deliver me, O Lord, for I
thy law do not forget.

154 After thy word revive thou me,
save me, and plead my cause.

155 Salvation is from sinners far,
for they seek not thy Laws.

156 O Lord, both great and manifold
thy tender mercies be:

According to thy judgements just,
revive and quicken me.

157 My persecuters many are,
and foes which do combine:

Yet from thy testimonies pure,
my heart doth not decline.

158 I saw transgressours and was griev'd,
for they keep not thy word,

159 See

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159 See how I love thy Law, as thou
art kinde, me quicken, Lord.
160 From the beginning all thy word
hath been most true and sure :
Thy righteous judgements every one
for evermore endure.

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The 21. part.

161 Princes have persecuted me,
although no cause they saw :
But still of thy most holy word
my heart doth stand in awe.
162 I at thy word rejoyce, as one
of spoile that finds great store :
163 Thy Law I love, busying all
I hate and do abhor.

164 Seven times a day it is my care,
to give due praise to thee :
Because of all thy judgements, Lord,
which righteous ever be.
165 Great peace have they who love thy law,
offence they shall have none.
166 I hop'd for thy salvation, Lord,
and thy commands have done.

167 My soul thy testimonies pure,
observed carefully :
On them my heart is set, and them
I love exceedingly.

168 Thy testimonies and thy laws,
I kept, with special care :
For all my works and wayes each one
before thee open are.

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- 169 O let my earnest pray'r and cry
come near before thee, Lord,
Give understanding unto me,
according to thy word.
- 170 Let my request before thee come,
after thy word, me free:
- 171 My lips shall utter praise, when thou
hast taught thy Laws to me.
- 172 My tongue of thy most blessed word,
shall speak, and it confess:
Because all thy commandments
are perfect righteousness.
- 173 Let thy strong hand make help to me,
thy precepts are my choice:
- 174 I long'd for thy salvation, Lord,
and in thy Law rejoyce.
- 175 O let my soul live, and it shall
give praises unto thee:
And let thy judgements gracious
be helpful unto me.
- 176 I like a lost sheep went astray,
thy servant seek, and finde:
For thy commands I suffered not
to slip out of my mind.

PSALM CXX.

- IN my distresse to God I cry'd,
and he gave ear to me.
- 2 From lying lips, and guilful tongue
O Lord, my soul set free.
- 3 What shall be giv'n thee? or what shall

PSALM CXVI.

be done to thee, false tongue :
 4 Ev'n burning coals of Juniper,
 sharp arrows of the strong.

5 Wo's me, that I in Meslech am
 a soj-urner so long :
 That I in tabernacles dwell
 to Kedar that belong.

6 My soul with him that hateth peace,
 hath long a dweller been.

7 I am for peace; but when I speak
 for battel they are keen.

P S A L M CXXI.

I To the hills will lift mine eyes,
 from whence doth come mine aid :

2 My safety cometh from the Lord
 who heav'n and earth hath made.

3 Thy foot Hee' not let slide, nor will
 he slumber that thee keeps :

4 Behold, He that keeps Israel,
 he slumbers not, nor sleeps.

5 The Lord thee keeps, the Lord thy shade
 on thy right hand doth stay :

6 The Moop by night thee shall not smite,
 nor yet the Sun by day.

7 The Lord shall keep thy soul, he shall
 preserve thee from all ill ;

8 Henceforth thy going out and in,
 God keep for ever will.

P S A L M CXXII.

I Joy'd when to the house of God,
 go up, they said to me.

2 Jerusalem

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Jerusalem within thy gates
our feet shall standing be.

Jerusalem as a city is
compactly built together:

Unto that place the Tribes go up,
the Tribes of God go thither.

To Israels testimony there
to Gods Name thanks to pay.

For thrones of judgement, even the thrones
of Davids house their stay.

Pray that Jerusalem may have
peace and felicity:

Let them that love thee and thy peace,
have still prosperity.

Therefore I wish that peace may still
within thy walls remain,

And ever may thy palaces
prosperity retain.

Now for my friends and brethren sake,
peace be in thee I'll say:

And for the house of God our Lord,
I'll seek thy good alway.

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O Thou that dwellest in the heav'ns,
I lift mine eyes to thee.

Behold, as servants eyes do look
their masters hand to see,

As hand maids eyes her mistresses hand
so do our eyes attend

Upon the Lord our God, until
to us he mercy send.

PSALM CXXIV.

- 3 O Lord, be gracious to us,
unto us gracious be:
Because replenish'd with contempt
exceedingly are we.
4 Our soul is fill'd with scorn of those
that at their ease abide.
And with the insolent contempt
of those that swell in pride.

PSAL. CXXIV.

Had not the Lord been on our side,
may Israel now say,

- 2 Had not the Lord been on our side
when men rose us to slay:
3 They had us swallow'd quick, when as
their wrath 'gainst us did flame:
4 Waters had cover'd us, our soul
had sunk beneath the stream.
5 Then had the waters, swelling high
over our soul made way,
6 Blest be the Lord, who to their teeth
us gave not for a prey.
7 Our soul's escaped, as a bird
out of the fowlers snare:
The snare asunder broken is,
and we escaped are.

8 Our sure and all-sufficient help
is in JEHOVAHS Name;
His Name, who did the heav'n create,
and who the earth did frame.

Another of the same.

Now Israel
may say and that truly.

PSALM CXXIV.

1 If that the Lord
had not our cause maintain'd;
2 If that the Lord
had not our right sustain'd,
When cruel men
against us furiously
Rose up in wrath,
to make of us their prey;
3 Then certainly
they had devour'd us all,
And swallowed quick
for ought that we could deem;
Such was their rage,
as we might well esteem:
4 And as fierce floods
before them all things drown,
So had they brought
our soul to death quite down:
5 The raging streams,
with their proud swelling waves,
Had then our soul
o'whelmed in the deep:
6 But blest be God,
who doth us safely keep,
And hath not given
us for a living prey
Unto their teeth
and bloody cruelty:
7 Ev'n as a bird
out of the fowlers snare
Escapes away.

PSALM CXXV.

so is our soul set free,
Broke are their nets,
and thus escaped we:
8 Therefore our help,
is in the Lords great Name,
Who heaven and earth
by his great pow'r did frame.

PSALM CXXV.

They, in the Lord that firmly trust,
shall be like Zion hill,
Which at no time can be remov'd,
but standeth ever still.

2 As round about Jerusalem
the mountains stand alway,
The Lord his folk doth compasse so
from henceforth and for ay.

3 For ill mens rod upon the loe
of just men shall not lie:
Left righteous men stretch forth their hands
unto iniquity.

4 Do thou to all those that be good,
thy goodnesse, Lord, impart:
And do thou good to those that are
upright within their heart.

5 But as for such that turn aside
after their crooked way,
God shall lead forth with wicked men:
on Israel peace shall stay.

PSALM CXXVI.

When Zions bondage God turn'd back,
as men that dream'd were we.

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PSALM CXXVII.

Then fill'd with laughter was our mouth,
our tongue with melody:
they 'mong the heathen said the Lord,
great things for them have wrought:
The Lord hath done great things for us
when joy to us is brought.

As streams of water in the South,
our bondage, Lord, recal.
Who sow in tears a reaping time
of joy enjoy they shall.
That man who bearing precious seed
in going forth doth mourn,
doubtless bringing back his sheaves
rejoycing shall return.

PSALM CXXVIII.

Except the Lord do build the house,
the builders lose their pain:
except the Lord the city keep,
the watchmen watch in vain.
It's vain for you to rise betimes,
or late from rest to keep,
to feed on sorrows bread: so gives
He his beloved sleep.

Lo, children are Gods heritage,
the wombs fruit his reward.
The sons of youth as arrows are
for strong mens hands prepar'd.
O happy is the man that hath
his quiver fill'd with those:
they, unashamed in the gate
shall speak unto their foes.

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P. S A L M CXVIII

Bless'd is each one that fears the Lord,
and walketh in his wayes.

2 For of thy labour thou shalt eat,
and happy be alwayes.

3 Thy wife shall as a fruitful vine,
by thy house sides be sound,

Thy children like to olive plants
about thy table round.

4 Behold, the man that fears the Lord
thus blessed shall he be:

5 The Lord shall out of Zion give
His blessing unto thee.

Thou shalt see Jerusalem's good behold
whilst thou on earth dost dwell.

6 Thou shalt see thy childrens children see,
and peace on Israel.

P. S A L M CXIX.

Oft did they vex me from my youth
may Israel now declare:

2 Oft did they vex me from my youth,
yet not victorious were.

3 The plowers plow'd upon my back,
they long their furrows drew:

4 The righteous Lord, did cut the cords
of the ungodly crew.

5 Let Zion's towers all be turn'd
back with confession.

6 As grassie on houses tops be they,
which fades ere it be grown:

7 Whereof enough to fill his hand
the mower cannot find:

P S A L M CXXX.

Nor can the man his bosom fill
 whose work is sheaves to bind;
 Neither say they who do go by,
 Gods blessing on you rest;
 We, in the Name of God, the Lord,
 do wish you to be blest.

P S A L CXXX.

Lord, from the depths to thee I cry'd.

2 My voice, Lord, do thou hear;

Lord my supplications voice,

give an attentive ear.

Lord, who shall stand if thou, O Lord,

shouldst mark iniquity?

But yet with thee forgiveness is

that fear'd thou mayst be.

I wait for God, my soul doth wait,

my hope is in his word,

More then they, that for morning watch,

my soul waits for the Lord;

I say, more then they that do watch

the morning light to see.

Let Israel hope in the Lord,

for with him mercies be,

And plenteous Redemption

is ever found with him;

And from all his iniquities,

he Israel shall redeem.

P S A L CXXXI.

MY heart nor haughty is, O Lord,

mine eyes nor lofty be:

Nor do I deal in matters great

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or things for me too hy.

2 I surely have my self-behav'd,
with quiet sp'rit and milde.

As child of mother wean'd, my soul
is like a weaned child.

3 Upon the Lord let all the hope
of Israel rely.

Ev' from the time that present is
unto eternity.

PSALM CXXXII.

David and his afflictions: all,
Lord, do thou think upon:

2 How unto God he swear'd, and vow'd
to Jacob's mighty One.

3 I will not come within my house,
nor rest in bed at all:

4 Nor shall mine eyes take any sleep,
nor eye-lids slumber shall.

5 Till for the Lord a place I find,
where he may make abode:

A place of habitation
for Jacob's mighty God.

6 Lo, at the place of Ephrath
of it we understood:

And we did find it in the fields
and city of the wood.

7 We'll go into his Tabernacles,
and at his foot-stool bow.

8 Arise, O Lord, into thy rest,
th' Ark of thy strength and thou:

9 O let thy priests be clothed, Lord,
with

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with truth and righteousness:
and let all those that are thy saints
shout loud for joy.

10 For thine own servant, David sake,
do not deny thy grace.
Nor of thine own appointed one
turn thou away thy face.

11 The Lord in truth to David Iware,
he will not turn from joy
of thy bodies fruit will make
upon thy throne to sit.

12 My Covenant, if thy love will keep
and laws to them made known,
their children then shall also sit,
for ever on thy throne.

13 For God of Zion hath made choice,
there he desires to dwell.

14 This is my rest, here will I lie,
for I do like it well.

15 Her food life greatly blesse, her poor
with bread will satisfie.

Her priests he cloath with health, her saints
shall shout forth joyfully.

17 And there will I make David horn
to bud forth pleasantly.

For him that mine anointed is,
a lamp ordain'd have I.

18 As with a garment I will cloath
with shame his enemies all;

But yet the crown that he doth weare,
upon him flourish shall.

BEhold, how good and pleasant it is
and how becoming well,
Together such as brethren are
in unity to dwell.

2 Like precious ointment on the head
that down the beard did flow,
Ev'n Aarons beard; and to the skirts,
did of his garments go.

3 As Hermons dew, the dew shew'd
on Zion hills did stand;
For there the blessing God doth send
life that shall never end.

P S A L M CXXXIV.

BEhold, bless ye the Lord, all ye
that his attendants are,

Ev'n you that in Gods temple be,
and praise him plentifully there.

2 Your hands within Gods holy place
lift up, and praise his Name.

3 From Zion hill the Lord thee blest
thine hand, and ear his Name.

P S A L M CXXXV.

Praise ye the Lord, the Lords Name praise
his servants praise ye God:

2 Who stand in Gods house, in the courts
of our God make abode.

3 Praise ye the Lord, for he is good,
unto him praises sing,

Sing praises to his Name, because
it is a pleasant thing.

4 For Jacob to himself the Lord

PSALM CXXXV.

did choose, of his good pleasure
 and he hath chosen Israel
 for his peculiar treasure
 Because I know, assuredly
 the Lord is very great
 and that our Lord above all gods
 in glory hath his seat

What thing soever pleased the Lord
 he hath done in the heaven and in the earth
 the sea and all that is therein
 He from the clouds sendeth rain
 and his lightning kindleth the storm
 With rain he lighteth the earth
 and his way shineth forth
 out of his treasure land.

Egypt first born from man to death,
 9 who smote the stranger to death
 Pharaoh, and his servants
 Egypt in midst of the sea
 He smote great nations
 11 Sabe of Ethiopia King
 and Og of Bashan, and to number
 did Canaan's kingdoms bring.

And for a wealthy heritage
 their pleasure hath he given
 his heritage which is better
 his chosen folk should have
 Thy Name, O Lord, shall be praised
 and thy memorials shall be
 with honour shall continued be
 to generations all.

PSALM CXXXVII

- 14 For why shall the righteous God will judge
his people righteously?
- Concerning those that do him service
himself repent will he.
- 15 The idols of the nations
of silver and gold,
And by the hands of men is made
their fashion and mold.
- 16 Mouths have they, but they do not speak,
eyes but they do not see,
- 17 Ears have they, but hear not, neither
their nostrils do smelling be.
- 18 Their makers shall like them, for as
all that on them rely.
- 19 O Israels booke, blesse God, blesse God,
O Aarons family.
- 20 O blesse the Lord of Lords house
ye who his servants are,
And blesse the holy Name of God,
ye the Lord that are.
- 21 And blessed be the Lord, our God,
from Zion his hill,
Who dwelleth in Jerusalem,
the Lord O praise ye still.

PSALM CXXXVIII

- G**ive thanks to God, for good in he,
for mercy hath he ever.
- 2 Thanks to the God, of gods give ye
for his grace faileth never.
 - 3 Thanks give the Lord of lords unto,
for mercy hath he ever.

PSALM CXXXV

- 4 Who only wonders great can do,
for his grace faileth never;
- 5 Who by his wisdom made heav'n high,
for mercy hath he ever;
- 6 Who stretcht the earth above the sea,
for his grace faileth never;
- 7 To him that made the great light shine,
for mercy he hath ever;
- 8 The Sun to rule all day declines,
for his grace faileth never;
- 9 The Moon and stars to rule by night,
for mercy hath he ever;
- 10 Who Egypt first bore kill'd outright;
for his grace faileth never;
- 11 And Israel brought from Egypt land,
for mercy hath he ever;
- 12 With stretcht out arm, and with strong hand
for his grace faileth never;
- 13 By whom the Red sea parted was;
for mercy hath he ever;
- 14 And through its midst made Israel passe:
for his grace faileth never;
- 15 But Pharaoh, and his host did draw,
for mercy hath he ever;
- 16 Who through the desert led his own;
for his grace faileth never;
- 17 To him great Kings who overthrew
for he hath mercy ever;
- 18 Yea, famous Kings in battell flew,
for his grace faileth never;
- 19 Ev'n Sihon King of Ammon;

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(for he hath mercy ever.)

- 20 And Og the King of Bashanites,
for his grace faileth never:
- 21 Their land in her might to have,
(for his grace faileth never.)
- 22 His servants find rightness,
for his grace faileth never:
- 23 In our low state who on us thought,
for he hath mercy ever.
- 24 And from our feet our freedom wrought,
for his grace faileth never.
- 25 Who doth all flesh with food relieve,
for he hath mercy ever.
- 26 Thanks to the God of heaven give,
for his grace faileth never.

Another of the same

- P**raise God, for he is kind,
his mercy lasts for ever.
- 2 Give thanks with heart and mind
To God of gods always:
For certainly,
His mercies dure
Most firm and sure
Eternally.
 - 3 The Lord of lords praise ye,
Whose mercies shall be known
Great wonders only he
Doth work by his great power:
For certainly, &c.
 - 5 Which God Omnipotent,
By might and wisdom quick

PSALM CXLVII

The heaven and firmament
Did frame, as we may see;

For certainly, &c.

To him who did our stretch,
This earth so great and wide;
Above the waters reach
Making it to abide;

For certainly, &c.

Great lights he made for us
For his grace to manifest;
Such as the sun and moon
To rule the light of day;

For certainly, &c.

Also the moon and stars,
Which shine but in our sight;
The stars that do appear
To guide the darkness night;

For certainly, &c.

To him that Egypt's king
Who did his message send;
And in his anger
Did kill all their firstborn;

For certainly, &c.

Thence Israel he brought
For his grace to manifest;
With a strong hand and outstretched arm
And stretcht out his right hand;

For certainly, &c.

The sea he cut in twain
For his grace to manifest;
And through the midst of the sea
He led his people to the land;

Made

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Made his own Israel: **For certainly, &c.**

For certainly, &c.

15 But overwhelm'd and lost,

Was proud King Pharaoh,

With all his mighty host,

And chariots thrice seven

For certainly, &c.

16 To him who powerfully

His chosen people led,

Ev'n through the desert dry,

And in that place them fed:

For certainly, &c.

17 To him great King who more,

For his grace hath done

18 Who slew, and spred abroad

Kings famous and renowned,

For certainly, &c.

19 Sihon th' Amorite King

For his grace hath done

20 Og also who did reign

The land of Bashan

For certainly, &c.

21 Their land by lot he gave,

For his grace hath done

22 That Israel might inherit

In heritance forever

For certainly, &c.

23 Who hath remembered

Us in our low estate

24 And us delivered

From foes who did us hate

For certainly, &c.

25 Who

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35 Who to all flesh gives food,
For his grace faileth never,
36 Give thanks to God most good,
The God of heaven for ever.
Hod certainly, He will I praise

BY **PSALM** **137**
Babel's streams we sat and wept,
when Zion we thought on:
In midst thereof we hang'd our harps
the willow trees upon.
3 For there a song required they
who did us captive bring:
Our spoilers shall for mirth, and said,
a song of Zion sing.

4 O how the Lords song shall we sing,
within a forraign land:
5 If thee Jerusalem I forget,
shall part from my right hand,
6 My tongue to my mouthes root let cleave
if I do thee forget:
Jerusalem and thee above
my chief joy do not set.

7 Remember Edoms children, Lord,
who in Jerusalems day,
Even unto its foundation
razed, razed it quite, did say.

8 O daughter thou of Babylon,
near to destruction,
Blest shall he be that thy reward,
as thou to us hast done.

9 Yea happy surely shall he be,

PSALM CXV. II.

thy robber little ones
Who shall lay hold upon, and them
shall break against the stones.

P S A L M CXV. II.

Thee will I praise with all my heart,
I will sing praise to thee

2 Before the gods, and worship will
toward thy Sanctuary

I'll praise thy Name, ex'p' for thy truth
and kindness of thy love

For thou thy word hast magnified
all thy great Name above

3 Thou hast mercies with the desp'ed
when I to thee did cry

And thou my fainting soul with strength
didst strengthen forwardly

4 All Kings upon the earth that are
shall give thee praise O Lord

When as they from thy mouth shall hear
thy true and faithful word

5 Yea, in the right compass ways of God
with gladness they shall sing

For great's the glory of the Lord
who doth for ever reign

6 Though God be high, yet he respects
all those that lowly be

Whereas the proud and lofty ones
afar off he will see

7 Though I in midst of trouble walk
I life from thee shall have

'Gainst my foes thou shalt stretch thine
thy right hand and strike

8 Surely

PSALM CXLIX

- 1 Surely thou shalt be glorified, O Lord, in the
 the Lord will perfectly shake me about
 Lord, thou shalt be glorified, O Lord, in the
 thine own hand, O Lord, thou shalt be glorified
 O Lord, thou hast known
 2 Thou know'st my sitting down
 And rising up, yet thou know'st my thoughts
 as far to thee are known
 3 My footsteps and my lying down
 thou compassest, thou knowest my heart
 Thou also most entirely art
 acquainted with all my ways
 4 For in my counsel, O Lord, shall I not
 nor any word can be
 it is well known to thee, O Lord
 5 Behold, O Lord, thou hast beset me
 and laid on me thine hand
 6 Such knowledge is too high for me,
 too high to understand
 7 From thy spirit, O Lord, shall I go
 or from thy presence flee?
 8 Ascend I heaven, thou art there,
 there, if in heaven I lie
 9 Take, O Lord, the wings of the morning
 in utmost parts of the sea
 10 Even there, O Lord, shall thy hand make
 thy right hand hold me
 11 If I say, I will fly from thee, O Lord
 me cover from thy right hand

PSALM CXIX

Then surely shall cheery light be
about me be a light

12 Yea, darkness hideth not from thee
but night both thine as day and thine
To thee the darkness and the light,

and thou shalt be my way

13 For thou possessest half my reins
and thou hast covered me

When I within my mothers womb
inclosed was by thee.

14 Thee will I praise, for fearfully
and strangely made I am.

Thy works are marvellous, and right well
my soul doth know the same

15 My substance wast not hid from thee
when as in secret

was made; and in earth lowly pass
was wrought in me

16 Thine eyes my substance did behold
yet being unperfected

And in the volume of thy book
my members all are written

which after in conscience
were fashion'd every one

When as they were all appointed were,
and of them there was none

17 How precious are thy thoughts
O gracious God, how high

And in what sun how glorious
and numberless thy works

18 If

PSALM LXXXII

- 18 If I should count them, then shall I
 they more in number be to only one
 What time shall I awake, and speak
 I ever am with thee: thou art my
 19 Thou, Lord, wilt loose the wicked
 hence from me: bloody men go
 20 Thy feet against thee, Lord, I
 and take thy Name in vain.
 21 Do not hate all those, O Lord,
 that hatred bear to thee:
 With those that be against thee rise,
 can I but grieved be?
 22 With perfect hatred them I hate,
 my foes I them do hate.
 23 Search me, O God, and know my heart,
 try me, my thoughts unfold.
 24 And see if any wicked way
 there be at all in me:
 And in thing everlasting way
 to me a leader be.
Psalm LXXXII.
Lord, from the ill and toward mine
 give me deliverance,
 And do thou life preserve me from
 the man of violence.
 2 Who in their hearts mischiefous things
 are meditating ever:
 And they for war assembled are,
 continually together.
 3 Much like unto serpents tongue,
 their tongues they sharp do make:

PSALM LXXXII

1 **Alas, how long shall mine enemies say,**
 the poyson of aspheltion is in them:
 4 **Lord, keep me from such wicked hands,**
 from violent men made as I ever was:
 Who, secretly have said, **Thou shalt not see me,**
 my goinge upon the earth shall be hid:
 6 **The proud have said, we will not see thee,**
 and cords, yet they shall not see thee:
 Have by the way side for me spread
 they grin for me, they have said:
 6 **I said unto the Lord, thou art my God:**
 unto the Lord, do thine as thy will:
 Of all my application, **Lord, do thine as thy will:**
 Lord, do thine as thy will:
 8 **God the Lord, who art the strength**
 of my salvation,
 covering in the day of wrath,
 my head thou shalt preserve:
 Unto the wicked said the Lord,
 his wishes do not grant:
 Nor further shall his ill device,
 lest they themselves should see:
 As for the head and chief of these,
 about that compass me:
 10 **Let the mischief of their lips**
 let them be covered by
 11 **Let burning coals upon them fall,**
 them throw in fiery flame,
 And in deep pits, that they no more
 may see the light of day:
 12 **Let mine enemies be as chaff,**
 on earth established:

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till he be ruined

127 I have builded mine house upon a rock
maintain it and it shall stand for ever

128 Surely the Lord will not forsake us
th' our feet shall not slip

129 As wood which is cut out of the forest
Lord, I have heard thee cry

130 And give an ear unto my voice
when I cry unto thee

2 As incense let my prayer be
discovered before thee

And the uprising of my hands
as the evening sacrifice

3 Set, Lord, a watch before my mouth
keep of my lips

4 My heart inclineth unto words of peace
the ill I shall not speak

To practise wickedness I will not
that would increase my sin

And with silence I will wait
let me not stir up mine anger

5 Let him that is angry with me
be silent

Let him that is kind to me
be silent

Such (smiting shall not break my head
for yet the time shall fall)

to God pray for them that hate thee

6 When

PSALM LXXII.

6 When ant bait Judges down shall be
in stonic places cast,
Then shall they hear my words, sorhty:
shall they be to abinasse.

7 About the stones down shing tooth
our bones are scattered out,
As wood which men do cut and cleave,
lyes scattered on the ground.

8 But unto thee, O God the Lord,
mine eyes are lifted up.

My soul do not leave desolate,
my trust is in thee alone.

9 Lord, keep me safe from the snare,
which they for me prepare,

And from the subtilty of them
that wicked workers are.

10 Let workers of iniquity
into their own nets fall,

Whilst I do by thine help escape
the danger of them all.

PSALM LXXII.

11 With my voice cry'd to the Lord,
with it made my request.

12 Pour'd out to him my plaine, to him
my trouble I express.

13 When in me was a rebelm'd my sp'rit,
then well thou knewst my way.

Where I did walk: a snare for me
they privily did lay.

14 I look'd on my right hand and view'd,
but none know me were I.

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PSALM CXLIII

All refuge failed me, no man
 did for my soul take care:
 I cry'd to thee, I said, Thou art
 my refuge, Lord, alone,
 And in the land of the living
 thou art my portion.
 Because I am brought very low,
 attend unto my cry:
 Me from my persecutors save,
 who stronger are than I:
 From prison bring my soul, that
 thy Name may glorify.
 The just shall recompense thee when thou
 with me shalt be.
PSALM CXLIII.
Lord, hear my pray'r, attend my cries,
 and in thy faithfulness
 Give thou an answer unto me,
 and in thy righteousness.
 Thy servant also bring thou on
 in judgement, to be free,
 Because no living man can be
 in thy sight justified.
 For th'enemy hath pursu'd my soul,
 my life is brought down,
 in darkness he hath made my way,
 as who have long been dead.
 My spirit is therefore overthrown
 in me perplexed.
 Within me is my very heart
 amazed wondrously.

PSALM CXVIII

- 5 I call to mind the days of old; again I
to meditate I use
On all thy works upon the deeds
I, of thy hands do muse
6 My hands are stretched out my soul
thirsts as dry land for thee
7 Haste, Lord, to hear, my spirit fails,
hide not thy face from me:

Lest like to them I do become
that go down to the dust.

- 8 At morning in thy kindness hear
for in thee do I trust
Teach me, O Lord, thy way
I lift my soul to thee
9 Lord, free me from my foes, I fly
to thee to cover me:

- 10 Because thou art my God, to do
thy will do I instruct:

Thy sp'rit is good, me to the land
of uprightness conduct.

- 11 Revive and quicken me, O Lord
ev'n for thine own Name's sake:

And do thou, for thy righteousness,
my soul from trouble take.

- 12 And of thy mercy by my foes;
let all destroyed be.

That do afflict my soul;
a servant of the Lord am I.

Another of this Psalmist

O H, hear my prayer, O Lord
And unto my desire show grace

PSALM CXLIII

To bow thine ear acoord,
I humbly thee require;
And in thy faithfulness,
Unto me answer make,
And in thy righteousness
Upon me pity take.

2 In judgement enter not
With me thy servant poor;
For why, this well I wote,
No sinner can endure
The sight of thee, O God;
If thou his deeds shalt view,
He dare make none abode
Himself to justify.

3 Behold the cruel foe
Me persecutes with spite;
My soul to overthrow
Yea, he my life doth hate;
Unto the ground he hath
And made me dwell alone;
In darkness, as for dead,
Or men dead long ago.

4 Therefore my spirit much vexeth
O'erwhelm'd is my mind;
My heart right sore persecuted
And desolate hath been;
Yet I do callid mine
What ancient dayes thou hast
Thy works of every kind
I think upon, O Lord.

5 Lo, I do stretch my hands
To thee, O Lord my God;
And my soul thirsteth for thee,
As for the parched ground;
My soul is dry as dust,
And my eyes are weary;
My heart is as a withered plant,
And my hands are as a shadow.

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PSALM CXLII

To thee my help alone,
For thou well understand'st
All my complaint and moan:
My thirsting soul desires,
And longeth after thee,
As thirsty ground requires
With rain refresh'd to be.

7 Lord, let my pray'r prevail,
To answer it make speed,
For lo, my sp'r'it doth fail;
Hide not thy face in need,
Lest I be like to those,
That do in darkness sit,
Or him that downward goes
Into the dreadful pit.

8 Because I trust in thee,
O Lord, cause me to hear
Thy loving kindnesse ere,
When morning doth appear:
Cause me to know the way
Wherein my path should be;
For why my soul on hye
I do lift up to thee.

9 From my fierce enemy
In safety do me guide;
Because I fly to thee,
Lord, that thou may'st me hide:
10 My God alone is my strength,
Teach me thy righteous way:
Thy sp'r'its good lead me
The land of uprightness.

PSALM CXLV.

11 O Lord for thy Names sake,
 Be pleas'd to quicken me,
 And for thy truth forth take
 My soul from misery.
 12 And of thy grace destroy
 My foes, and put to shame
 All who my soul annoy :
 For I thy servant am.

PSALM CXLV.

O Blessed ever be the Lord,
 who is my strength and might,
 who delivereth my soul to war,
 my fingers teach to fight,
 2 My goddelfe, fortreffe, my high tow'r,
 deliverer and shield,
 In whom I trust, who under me
 my people make to dwell,
 3 Lord, what is man, that thou of him
 dost so much knowledge take ?
 Or son of man, that thou of him
 so great account dost make ?
 4 Man is like vanity : his dayes
 as shadows passe away. (thou
 5 Lord, bow thy hea'vens, come down, touch
 the hills, and smoke shall they.
 6 Cast forth thy lightnings scatter them,
 thine arrows shoot, them rout.
 7 Thine hand send from above, me save,
 from great depths draw me out :
 And from the hand of children strange,
 8 Whose mouth speaks vanity :

And

And their right hand is a right hand,
that works deceitfully.

9 A new song I to thee will sing,
Lord, on a psalterie;

I, on a ten-string'd instrument,
will praises sing to thee:

10 Ev'n he it is, that unto Kings
salvation doth send:

Who his own servant David doth
from hurtful words defend.

11 O frame from strong children's hands
whose mouth speaks vanity;

And their right hand a right hand is,
that works deceitfully.

12 That as the plants our sons may be
in youth grown up to us;

Our daughters like to corner stones
carv'd like a palace wall.

13 That to avoid all kind of store
our gardens may be fill'd;

That our sheep thousands in our streets,
ten thousands they may yield.

14 That strong our oxen be for work,
that no in-breaking be;

Nor going out, and that our streets
may from complaints be free.

15 Those people blessed are, who be
in such a case as this:

Yea, blessed all those people are,
whose God JEHOVAH is.

PSALM LXXV

'Le thee exalt thy God, O King
 I will bless thy Name alwayes
 Thee will I bless continually, and will
 thy Name for ever praise
 Great is the Lord, who is to be praised
 his greatness searcheth out
 Race unto race shall praise thy works
 and show thy mighty deeds
 I of thy glorious Majesty
 the honour will declare
 I'll speak of all thy mighty works
 which wondrous are O Lord
 Men of thine are the might shall show,
 thine acts that heaven are,
 And I, thy glory to declare,
 thy greatness will declare.
 The memory of thy goodness great
 they largely shall declare
 With songs of praise they shall extol
 thy perfect righteousness
 The Lord is very gracious,
 in him compassions flow,
 mercy he is very great,
 and is to anger slow.
 The Lord JEHOVAH unto all
 his goodness shall declare
 And over all his other works
 his tender mercies are
 Thee all thy works shall praise, O Lord,
 and thee thy saints shall bless
 They shall thy Kingdoms glorify show,

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- thy power by speech thy power shall
 12 To make the lowly to know
 his life done mightily: held I will see
 And of his Kingdom thou shalt
 and gloried: thy life, Lord, is the
 13 Thy Kingdom shall forever stand;
 thy reign through all ages shall.
 14 God raised all that are bowed down,
 upholdeth all that fall.
 15 The eyes of all things wait on thee,
 the giver of all good.
 And thou in time convenient
 bestows on them their food;
 16 Thy hand, then, openeth liberally;
 and of thy bounty gives
 Enough to satisfy the need
 of every thing that lives.
 17 The Lord is just in all his ways,
 holy in his works all.
 18 God's hear to all that call on him,
 in truth that on him call.
 19 He will accomplish the desire
 of those that do him fear.
 He also will deliver them,
 and he their cry will hear.
 20 The Lord preserves all who him love;
 that nought do them annoy.
 But he all those that wicked are
 will utterly destroy.
 21 My mouth the praises of the Lord
 to publish cease shall never.

PSALM CXLV

All flesh bleſſe his holy Name
for ever and for ever.

Another of the ſame.

O Lord, thou art my God, and King,
Thee will I magnifie and praiſe,
I will thee bleſſe and gladly ſing
Unto thy holy Name alwayes.
Each day I riſe, I will thee bleſſe,
And praiſe thy Name thine without end;
Much to be praiſ'd, and great God is,
His greatneſſe none can comprehend.

Race ſhall thy works praiſe unto race;
The mighty acts ſhow done by thee;
I will ſpeak of thy glorious graces,
And honour of thy Maieſtie;
Thy wonderfull works I will record;
By men the might ſhall be extol'd
Of all thy dreadful acts, O Lord;
And I thy greatneſſe will unfold.

They utter ſhall abundantly
The memory of thy goodneſſe great,
And ſhall ſing praifes cheerfully,
Whilst they thy righteousneſſe relate.
The Lord our God is gracious,
Compaſſionate is he alſo;
In mercy he is plenteous,
But unto wrath and anger ſlow.

Good unto all men is the Lord;
O're all his works his mercy is,
Thy works all praiſe to thee afford,
Thy ſaints, O Lord, thy Name ſhall bleſſe.

- 11 The glory of thy Kingdom shew
Shall they, and of thy power tell.
- 12 That so mens sons his deeds may know
His Kingdom grace that doth excel.
- 13 Thy Kingdom hath none end at all,
It doth through ages all remain.
- 14 The Lord upholdeth all that fall,
The cast down raiseth up again.
- 15 The eyes of all things, Lord, attend,
And on thee wait, that here do live:
And thou in season due dost send
Sufficient food them to relieve.
- 16 Yea, thou thine hand dost open wide
And every thing dost furnish
That lives, and doth on earth abide,
Of thy great liberality.
- 17 The Lord is just in his wayes all,
And holy in works each one.
- 18 He's near to all that on him call,
Who call in truth on him alone.
- 19 God with the just desired fulfill
Of such as do him fear and dread:
Their cry regard, and hear he will,
And save them in the time of need.
- 20 The Lord preserves all, more and lesse
That bear to him a loving heart:
But workers all of wickednesse
Destroy will he, and cleave subvert.
- 21 Therefore my mouth and lips I'll frame
To speak the praises of the Lord.

PSALM CXLVI.

To magnific his holy Name
for ever let all flesh accord.

PSALM CXLVI.

Praise God: the Lord praise, O my soul.

2 I'll praise God while I live,

while I have being, to my God

in songs I'll praises give.

Trust not in Princes, nor mans son

in whom there is no stay:

His breath departs, to's earth he turns

that day his thoughts decay.

O happy is that man and blest,

whom Jacobs God doth aid,

whose hope upon the Lord doth rest,

and on his God is staid.

Who made the earth and heavens high,

who made the swelling deep,

and all that is within the same:

who truth doth ever keep:

Who righteous judgements executes

for those oppress that be;

who to the hungry giveth food,

God sets the prisoners free.

The Lord doth give the blinde their sight,

the bowed down doth raise:

The Lord doth dearly love all those

that walk in upright wayes.

The strangers shield, the widows stay,

the orphans help is he,

but yet by him the wicked way

turn'd upside down shall be.

PSALM CXLVII.

10 The Lord shall reign for evermore,
thy God O Zion; he
Reigns to all generations,
Praise to the Lord give ye.

PSALM CXLVII.

PRAISE ye the Lord; for it is good
praise to our God to sing;
For it is pleasant, and to praise
it is a comely thing.

2 God doth build up Jerusalem;
and he it is alone.

That the dispersit of Israel
doth gather into one.

3 Those, that are broken in their hearts
and grieved in their minds,

He healeth, and their painful wounds
he tenderly up biodes.

4 He counts the number of the stars,
he names them every one.

5 Great is our Lord, and of great power;
his wisdom search can none.

6 The Lord lifteth up the meek, and casteth
the wicked to the ground.

7 Sing to the Lord and give him thanks;
on harp his praises sound;

8 Who covereth the heav'n with clouds,
who for the earth below

Prepareth rain, who maketh grasse
upon the mountains grow.

9 He gives the beast his food, he feeds
the ravens young, that cry.

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10 His pleasure nor in horses strength,
 nor in mans legs doth ly;
 11 But in all those, that do him fear,
 the Lord doth pleasure take,
 12 Those that to him mercy do
 by hope themselves betake.
 13 The Lord praise, O Jerusalem,
 Zion thy God confesse;
 14 For thy gates bars he maketh standing;
 thy sons in thee, doth blesse.
 15 He in thy borders maketh peace,
 with fine wheat filleth thee;
 16 He sendeth forth his command on earth,
 his word runneth speedily.
 17 He like frost like ashes, scorched he
 like wool he snow did give,
 18 Like moles he casteth forth his yce,
 whom in its cold can live?
 19 He sendeth forth his mighty word,
 and melteth them again:
 His winds he makes to blow, and then
 the waters flow again.
 20 The Doctrine of his holy word
 to Jacob he doth show:
 His statutes and his judgements he
 giveth Israel to know.
 21 To any nation never he
 such favour did afford:
 For they his judgements have not known.
 O do ye praise the Lord.

PSALM CXLVII.

Praise God. From heavens praise the Lord,
in heights praise to him be.

2 All ye his Angels praise ye him,
his hosts all praise him ye.

3 O praise ye him both Sun and Moon,
praise him all stars of light,

4 Ye heav'ns of heav'n's him praise, and floods
above the heavens height.

5 Let all the creatures praise the Name
of our Almighty Lord:

For he commanded and they were
created by his word.

6 He also, for all times to come,
hath them establisht sure:

He hath appointed them a Law
which ever shall endure.

7 Praise ye Jehovah from the earth,
dragons, and every deep:

8 Fire, hail, snow, vapour, stormy wind,
his word that fully keep.

9 All hills and mountains, fruitful trees,
and all ye cedars hy.

10 Beasts, and all cattell, creeping things,
and all ye birds that fly.

11 Kings of the earth, all nations,
Princes, earls, Judges all,

12 Both young men, yea, and maidens too,
old men, and children small.

13 Let them Gods Name praise: for his Name
alone is excellent.

His glory reacheth far above

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the earth, and firmament.

14 His peoples horn, the praise of all
his saints exalteth he.

Ev'n Israels seed, a people near
to him. The Lord praise ye.

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THe Lord of heav'n confesse,
On high his glories raise,

2 Him let all Angels blesse,
Him all his armies praise.

3 Him glorifie
Sun, Moon, and Stars:

4 Ye higher Spheres,
and cloudy sky.

5 From God your beings are,
Him therefore famous make:

You all created were,
When he the word but spake:

5 And from that place,
Where fixt you be

By his decree
You cannot passe,

7 Praise God from earth below,
Ye dragons and ye deeps:

Fire, hail, cloud, wind and snow;
8 Whom in command he keeps.

9 Praise ye his Name
Hills great and small,

Trees low and tall:
10 Beasts wilde and tame.

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All things that creep or fly

11 Ye Kings, ye vulgar through,
All Princes mean of hue,

12 Both men and virgins young,
Ev'n young and old,

13 Exalt his Name,
For much his fame,
Should be extol'd.

O let Gods Name be praised
Above both earth and sky;

24 For he his saints hath rais'd,
And set their horn on hy;
Ev'n those that be
Of Israels race
Near to his grace.

The Lord praise ye

Psalm CXLIX

Praise ye the Lord: unto him sing
a new song, and his praise

in the assembly of his saints:
in sweet Psalms do ye raise:

2 Let Israel in his Maker joy,
and praises to him sing

Let all that Zions children are,
be joyful in their King.

3 O let them unto his great Name
give praises in the dance;

Let them with timbrel and with harp,
in songs his praise advance.

4 For God doth pleasure take in those
that his own people be.

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And he with his salvation
the meek will beautify.

5 And in his glory excellent
let all his saints rejoyce:

Let them to him upon their beds
aloud lift up their voices.

6 Let in their mouth aloft be rais'd
the high praise of the Lord;

And let them have in their right hand
a sharp two edged sword:

7 To execute the vengeance due
upon the heathen all;

And make deserved punishment
upon the people fall.

8 And ev' a with chains, as prisoners, bind
their Kings that them command,

Yea, and with iron fetters strong
the nobles of their land.

9 On them the judgement to perform
found written in his word:

This honour is to all his saints.

O do ye praise the Lord.

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Praise ye the Lord, Gods praise within
his sanctuary, raise:

And to him in the firmament
of his pow'r give ye praise;

2 Because of all his mighty acts
with praise him magnifie:

O praise him as he doth excell
in glorious Majesty.

PSALM CE

- 3 Praise him with Trumpets, sound his praise
with Psalterie advance.
- 4 With timbrel, harp, string'd instruments
and Organs in the dance.
- 5 Praise him on Symbals loud, him praise,
on Symbals sounding his.
- 6 Let each thing breathing praise the Lord:
Praise to the Lord give ye.

And let them have in their right hand
a sharp two edged sword:

To execute the vengeance due
upon the heathen all:
And make delivered punishment
upon the people fall.



Yet, and with iron fetters strong
the neckes of their land.

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O do ye praise the Lord,
The honour is to all his name.

PSALM C.



And so him in the judgement
of his power give ye praise:
Because of all his mighty acts
with praise him magnifie:
O praise him as he doth excell
in glorious Majesty.

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